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FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 1,
1870.

Foreign Office, June 29, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Louis Bols as Consul-General in Australia, to reside at Sydney, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Robert Prowse as Consul at St. John's, Newfoundland, for the North German Confederation.

Whitehall, June 29, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Waldegrave Brewster, M.A., to the Rectory of Middleton, in the county palatine of Lancaster, and diocese of Manchester, vacant by the promotion of Doctor Richard Durnford to the See of Chichester.

Whitehall, June 30, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Hugh Lamont to the church at Kilmeny, in the united parishes of Bowmore and Kilmeny, in the presbytery of Isla and Jura, and shire of Argyll, vacant by the death of Doctor Donald Macdonald.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend George Porter to the church and parish of Maybole, in the presbytery and county of Ayr, vacant by the death of Doctor William Menzies.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the
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Reverend William Ewen Bull Gunn to the charge and office of First Minister of the church and parish of Montrose, in the presbytery of Brechin, and county of Forfar, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Donald Macleod to St. Mark's Church, Dundee.

War Office, Pall Mall.

1st July, 1870.

Royal Regiment of Artillery. Second Captain William Thomas Budgen to be Adjutant, vice H. B. Maule, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 8th June, 1870.

Lieutenant John Duncan Cameron has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Montresor Hughes Hallett has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

The promotion which appeared in the Gazette of the 17th May, 1870, has been cancelled, and the following substituted: viz. :—

Captain Edward Keate, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major A. Orr, deceased. Dated 27th April, 1870.

In consequence of the foregoing, the following alterations have been made in the promotions which appeared in the Gazette of the 27th May, 1870: viz. :—

Second Captain Francis Walter de Winton to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Sparway, promoted. Dated 28th May, 1870.

Second Captain and Adjutant Æmilius de Vic Tupper, Supernumerary to the Establishment, to be Second Captain, vice F. W. de Winton. Dated 28th May, 1870.

16th Foot, Brevet-Colonel the Honourable A. G. C. Chichester, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 77th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel George John Peacocke, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

30th Foot, Major Henry Wallace Stroud, from half-pay, late 63rd Foot, to be Major, vice William John Brook, who retires upon temporary half-pay, Dated 2nd July, 1870.

70th Foot, Captain Charles Masterman Smyth, from half-pay, late 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice William Biddulph Pinchard, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

73rd Foot, Lieutenant - Colonel Somerset M. Clarke, from half-pay, late 29th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Godfrey James Burne, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant and Riding-Master Thomas Bishop, retired half-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Captain, the rank being honorary only. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the promotion of General Sir George Pollock, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., to the rank of Field-Marshal; viz. :—

Lieutenant-General Sir George Brooke, K.C.B., Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be General. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Major-General George Twemlow, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Colonel Arthur Broome, C.S.I., from Supernumerary, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be Major-General. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Major Fitzroy George Smith, half-pay, 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Captain Sidney Baynton Farrell, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Admiralty, 29th June, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Andrew Smith has been placed on the list of Captains retired under Order in Council of 24th April, 1847, 25th June, 1851, and 26th June, 1867, from the 18th instant.

Admiralty, 30th June, 1870.

James Samuel Watts, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 29th June, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks :—

Chaplain and Naval Instructor Reverend George A. M. Litle, from this date.

Paymasters :

Henry Stephens Dyer, from the 23rd instant.

William George Parmeter, from the 25th instant.

Mr. Parmeter has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fifeshire Artillery Militia.

Charles Lamont, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Rintoul, promoted. Dated 19th June, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

Robert William Llewellyn, late Cornet 1st Dragoons, to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th June, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Thomas Nelson Foster to be Captain, vice Fenn, whose services have been dispensed with. Dated 27th June, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fifeshire Militia.

Alexander Thomson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Lindsay, deceased. Dated 31st August, 1870.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act 29 and 30 Vict., cap. 39, sec. 16, that the actual surplus revenue of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual expenditure thereof, for the year ended the 31st day of March, 1870, amounted to the sum of six million three hundred and sixty-nine thousand five hundred pounds and eleven shillings.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of one million five hundred and ninety-two thousand three hundred and seventy-five pounds two shillings and nine pence, being one-fourth part of the said surplus of six million three hundred and sixty-nine thousand five hundred pounds and eleven shillings, will be applied under the provisions of the said Act, in the quarter ending the 30th day of September, 1870, towards the reduction of the National Debt.

A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General.
National Debt Office, July 1, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 5,
1870.

Whitehall, July 2, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom appointing Sir William Milbourne James, Knt., a Vice Chancellor, to be a Judge of the Court of Appeal in Chancery, in the room of Sir Charles Jasper Selwyn, deceased.

Whitehall, July 4, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom appointing James Bacon, Esq., Chief Judge in the London Bankruptcy Court, to be a Vice Chancellor, in the room of Sir William Milbourne James, Knt., resigned.

(C. 837.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that the Spanish Government have issued a Decree declaring free the Ports of Santa Cruz de Teneriffe, Orotava, Cuidad Real de las Palmas, Santa Cruz de la Palma, Arcife de Lanzarote, Puerto de Cabras, and San Sebastian de la Gomera, as well as the Port of Valverde, in the Island of Hierro.

(C. 845.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul-General in Egypt, a copy of a Letter from the President of the Board of Health at Alexandria, announcing that all vessels arriving at Suez will be admitted to free pratique upon producing a clean bill of health obtained at the port from which they first sailed ; vessels which can only produce a bill of health

from an intermediate port will be detained so long as the health officer may think proper, unless the bill obtained from the last port at which the vessel has touched states clearly and explicitly that the vessel at the time of departure was admitted to free pratique.

(C. 857.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 4, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at San José, reporting the following reductions in the duty levied upon goods imported into Honduras :—

	cents.
Petroleum to	5 per lb.
Fuses, of every description	10 „
Playing cards	50 „
Perfumery	10 „
Florida water	6½ „
Tricofero (a hair wash)	5 „
Epsom salts	2 „

War Office, Pall Mall,
5th July, 1870.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Douglas Mackinnon
Baillie Hamilton, Lord Cochrane, to be Cornet
and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Percy
transferred to the Grenadier Guards. Dated
6th July, 1870.

Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant the Honourable
Oliver George Powlett Montagu to be Captain,
by purchase, vice Henry Herbert Wombwell,
who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Cornet Dudley Francis, Earl of Guilford, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable O. G. P. Montagu. Dated 6th July, 1870.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Cornet Joseph Henry Newill has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th July, 1870.

6th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel James Francis Hickie, from half-pay late 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice William Thomas Betty, who retires upon temporary half-pay, receiving a portion of the former difference between Cavalry and Infantry. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Major Edward Napier to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice J. F. Hickie, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Captain Arthur FitzPatrick Godman to be Major, by purchase, vice Napier. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Lieutenant Hugh Conyngham Gaston Montgomery to be Captain, by purchase, vice Godman. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Cornet Alfred Edward Edmund Jacobson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Montgomery. Dated 6th July, 1870.

9th Lancers, Lieutenant Henry Brooks Gaskell to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Savile, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Cornet Lord William Leslie De la Poer Beresford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gaskell. Dated 6th July, 1870.

12th Lancers, Cornet Mountcharles Easthope Williams to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Arthur Thompson, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

7th Foot, Captain George Augustus Sweny, from half-pay, late 4th Foot, to be Captain, vice John Graydon Smith, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

13th Foot, Ensign Robert Cooke Otway to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Joseph Fitz Gerald Lynch, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Edmond Joseph Gallwey, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Otway. Dated 6th July, 1870.

18th Foot, Staff-Surgeon Richard Uniacke Cashman, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Daniel John Doherty, appointed to the Staff. Dated 15th June, 1870.

22nd Foot, Ensign Peter Aubertin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rhys Rainier Jones, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Evelyn Fortescue Lloyd, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Aubertin. Dated 6th July, 1870.

28th Foot, Ensign Herbert George Farnall to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gerard William Thorpe, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Edward Kirkman Loyd, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Farnall. Dated 6th July, 1870.

33rd Foot, Ensign Walter A. Wynter to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Everett, made Supernumerary on appointment as Assistant Instructor of Surveying and Topographical Drawing at the Royal Military Academy. Dated 1st February, 1870.

Lieutenant Cecil Conor to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Everett, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st February, 1870.

34th Foot, Ensign Edward Medley Carter to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Dean, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Robert Williams Andrews, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Carter. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward M. Carter to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Gage, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

35th Foot, Ensign Mackenzie Churchill to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Richard L. W. Spooner, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Francis Selwyn Campbell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Churchill. Dated 6th July, 1870.

39th Foot, Ensign Robert Whalley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Drought Blakely Tarleton, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Oldfield Nicholetts, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Whalley. Dated 6th July, 1870.

44th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Preston, from half-pay, late 44th Foot, to be Major, vice John Geddes, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

46th Foot, Captain John Joseph Forsyth Grant, from half-pay, late 15th Foot, to be Captain, vice Thomas D'Almaine Mackinlay, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

48th Foot, Gentleman Cadet George Fitzherbert Browne, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Scott, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

51st Foot, Lieutenant George Charles Cockburn to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Bliss MacQueen, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Ensign Richard Hockin Hitchins, from the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cockburn. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Lockhart Burnett, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Saunders, deceased. Dated 6th July, 1870.

56th Foot, Captain William Richard White, from half-pay late 50th Foot, to be Captain, vice George Francis O'Grady, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

58th Foot, Lieutenant Mackenzie Churchill, from 35th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Whybrow, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 6th July, 1870.

61st Foot, Gentleman Cadet James Hayes Sadler, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Worgan, transferred to 59th Foot. Dated 6th July, 1870.

63rd Foot, Major John Edwin Dickson Hill, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Major, vice Archibald Wybergh, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Ensign William Palmer to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Ward, deceased. Dated 6th July, 1870.

65th Foot, Ensign George Bryan Douglas Thornhill, from 94th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Smith, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

67th Foot, Lieutenant James Bannatyne Blair, from half-pay, late 6th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dudley Davison Batty, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Ensign John Stephen White to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice J. B. Blair, who retires. Dated 6th July, 1870.

72nd Foot, Staff Surgeon John Meane to be Surgeon, vice Robert Thomas Buckle, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 10th June, 1870.

81st Foot, Lieutenant Richard Hockin Hitchins, from the 51st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Bell, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 6th July, 1870.

94th Foot, Captain John Murray to be Major, without purchase, vice Cafe, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Robert Francis Pate Startin, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Thornhill, transferred to the 65th Foot. Dated 6th July, 1870.

96th Foot, Gentleman Cadet John Edmund Mein, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Ridgeway, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

97th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Henry Tryon Wing, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Bowden, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

100th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Edward French, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Jones, transferred to the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 6th July, 1870.

101st Foot, Gentleman Cadet George Atkinson Macintire, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Ferrier, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

105th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Edmund George Reilly, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Whitehill, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

106th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Hugh Munbee Brice, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Dempster, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1869.

Gentleman Cadet William Octavius Harris, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Compigne, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

107th Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Edward Bristow, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Barlow, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Ralph Thomason Ommanney, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Moore, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

108th Foot, Lieutenant Sydenham Renaud has been permitted to retire from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 1st May, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Ernest Armond Barclay, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Welch, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

109th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Jackson, from half-pay, late *Depôt Battalion*, to be Major, vice Edward Valentine, deceased. Dated 4th May, 1870.

Captain Justinian Armitage Nutt to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Jackson, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 4th May, 1870.

Depôt Battalion, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Kerr, from half-pay, late *Depôt Battalion*, to be Major. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Medical Department, Surgeon Robert Thomas Buckle, M.D., from the 72nd Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice John Meane, who exchanges. Dated 10th June, 1870.

Surgeon Daniel John Doherty, from the 18th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Richard Uniacke Cashman, M.D., appointed to the 18th Foot. Dated 15th June, 1870.

Staff Assistant - Surgeon Algernon Newbegin Watts has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 15th June, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major Haydon Lloyd Cafe, from the 94th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Frederick Sale Sowley Brind, from the 19th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Robert Hill Ross, from the 35th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Francis Hibbert, from the 24th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

The second Christian name of Captain Frederick Dudgeon, half-pay, late 40th Foot, is *Nassau*.

BREVE'T.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Jackson, retired upon full-pay, 109th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 4th May, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major W. E. Farmar, Royal Marine Light Infantry, having retired upon full-pay, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd June, 1870.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary John Davis (deceased), Bombay Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 16th September, 1868.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary William Lee (deceased), Bombay Establishment, to have the

honorary rank of Ensign. Dated 16th September, 1868.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Weldon C. Tarleton, Bombay Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Ensign. Dated 23rd January, 1870.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Lieutenant-General E. H. D. E. Napier, Colonel of the 46th Foot, who died on the 19th June, 1870 :—

Major-General William James D'Urban, Colonel of the 107th Foot to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Major-General Sir Charles William Dunbar Staveley, K.C.B., promoted a Major-General for distinguished service, to be placed on the fixed Establishment of Major-Generals. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major Douglas Jones, half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Captain Henry Renny, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Admiralty, 1st July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their ranks from this date :—

Paymasters :

William Henry Dutton.

James M. Lowcay.

Mr. Dutton has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his retirement.

Admiralty, 2nd July, 1870.

The undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer, with seniority of the 2nd instant :—

Thomas Parker.

Edward Lewis.

William Dark.

John Marwood.

Admiralty, 4th July, 1870.

The undermentioned Inspector of Machinery Afloat has been promoted to the rank of Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat, with seniority of the 2nd instant :—

John Oliver.

The undermentioned Chief Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Inspector of Machinery Afloat, with seniority of the 4th instant :—

Thomas Thomson Murray.

William Nathaniel Covey.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

West Kent Yeomanry Cavalry (Queen's Own).

Robert Bury, late Captain 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Adjutant, vice Silver, resigned. Dated 1st June, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

1st Devon Militia.

Lieutenant H. B. T. Wrey to be Captain, vice Farrant, resigned. Dated 10th June, 1870.
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*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Wigtown.*

Prince Regent's Royal Ayr and Wigton Militia.

The Right Honourable Alan Plantagenet, Lord
Garlies, M.P., to be Major, vice Fergusson,
resigned. Dated 27th June, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Sussex.*

*Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex
Militia.*

C. J. Pakenham Lawrell, Gent., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 9th June, 1870.



FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 8,
1870.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of
July, 1870

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Lord Justice Sir William Milbourne
James and Sir Barnes Peacock were, by Her
Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most
Honourable Privy Council, and took their places
at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of
July, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Privy Seal to the Right Honourable Charles, Viscount Halifax, the oath of the Keeper of the Privy Seal was this day administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of
July, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John, Earl of Kimberley, to be one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, His Lordship was, this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of
July, 1870.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to direct that the pensions of £3 8s. a year each, to be granted to such masters and seamen as contributed towards the support of Greenwich Hospital shall not of necessity be granted, in the first instance, to masters and seamen who can prove the greatest length of service prior to the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, if it appears to the

Board of Trade that there are others fulfilling the required conditions whose length of service is less, but whose neccessities are greater.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of *July*, 1870.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the provisions contained in certain sections of "The Common Law Procedure Act, 1852," "The Common Law Procedure Act, 1854," and "The Common Law Procedure Act, 1860." shall apply and be extended to the Courts of Record of the city and borough of Chester, called the "Court of Pentice" and the "Court of Portmote." And Her Majesty was further pleased, to order that all the powers and duties incident to the provisions, hereby applied and extended to the said Courts of Pentice and Portmote, and exercisable under any of the said provisions by the Court or a Judge, shall and may, with respect to matters in the said Courts of Pentice and Portmote, be exercised by the Recorder for the time being of the said city and borough of Chester, or by his duly appointed Deputy; and that the powers and duties incident to the provisions, and exercisable under any of the provisions by a Master, shall and may, with respect to matters in the said Courts of Pentice and Portmote, be exercised by the Registrar for the time being of the said Courts, or by his duly appointed Deputy.

St. James's Palace, July 7, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Joseph Lister, Esq., to be one of the Surgeons in Ordinary to Her Majesty in Scotland, in the room of James Syme, Esq., deceased.

Downing Street, July 6, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Wellington Cairns, Esq. (now Lieutenant-Governor of the Islands of Saint Christopher and Nevis), to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of British Honduras.

Downing Street, July 7, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Jules Louis Colin, Esq., to be Procureur and Advocate-General for the Island of Mauritius.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
8th July, 1870.*

46th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Charles Stuart to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General E. H. D. E. Napier, deceased. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Second Captain Frederick Edward Hadow (late Madras) to be Captain, vice J. Blair, retired upon full-pay. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Second Captain Albert William Orme Whinyates (late Madras), from temporary half-pay, to be Second Captain, vice F. E. Hadow. Dated 24th May, 1870.

106th Foot, The date of Ensign Brice's appointment is 6th July, 1870, and not as previously stated.

BREVET.

Captain James Blair, retired full-pay, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Major, the rank being honorary only. Dated 24th May, 1870.

Admiralty, 7th July, 1870.

Royal Marine Artillery.

The undernamed Gentleman having passed the requisite examination, to be Lieutenant from the 16th December, 1868 :—

Henry Vansittart.

Admiralty, 6th July, 1870.

William Letheby Inch, Esq., has this day been authorized to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his being placed on the Retired List on the 1st April last.

Admiralty, 7th July, 1870.

Under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the under-mentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List from this date :—

Staff Commander James Masters Share.

Navigating Lieutenant James Walter Ashton.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Herts.

Hertfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Arthur Lydekker to be Lieutenant.

South Herts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Arthur Giles Puller to be Lieutenant, vice O'Shea, resigned. Dated 23rd June, 1870.

The Reverend Richard Lee-James to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 23rd June, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Nottingham.*

*Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire
Regiment of Militia.*

Lieutenant George Gawthorn to be Captain, vice
Lowe, deceased. Dated 30th June, 1870.

Hugh Augustus Crofton, Esq., late 10th Foot, to
be Captain, vice Gardiner, resigned. Dated
30th June, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Somerset.*

West Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry

The Honourable Arthur Wellington Alexander
Nelson Hood, M.P., Captain 25th Foot, to be
Captain, vice Speke, resigned. Dated 2nd
July, 1870.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Leir, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Tudway,
promoted. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 12,
1870.

Whitehall, July 11, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters
Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland
constituting and appointing the Right Honourable
Hugh Culling Eardley Childers; Admiral Sir
Sydney Colpoys Dacres, K.C.B.; Vice-Admiral
Sir Robert Spencer Robinson, K.C.B. (being the

Comptroller of Her Majesty's Navy); Captain John Hay (commonly called Lord John Hay), R.N., C.B.; and the Right Honourable Robert Adam Philips Haldane, Earl of Camperdown; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Downing Street, July 11, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel Sir Thomas Gore Browne, K.C.M.G., C.B., to be Administrator of the Government of the Bermudas or Somers' Islands.

(C. 880.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 11, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the subjoined extract of a Decree recently issued by the Spanish Government, which has reference to certain proposed reforms in the Import Duties, Port Dues, and Customs Regulations, at present in force in the Island of Puerto Rico.

(Extract.)

DECREE.

ART. 6. On and after 1st July next, the dues known as tonnage, anchorage, and lighthouse dues, and dues for the cleansing and captaincy of the port, shall be commuted into one sole duty, to be called "derecho de descarga," which shall consist, with regard to vessels navigating the high

seas, of two escudos for each ton of 1000 kilograms of merchandize ; and with reference to the coasting trade, the said duty shall consist of 0·500 and 0·250 of an escudo, according as the vessels may measure more or less than 20 tons.

Steamers making periodical voyages, and always touching at Puerto Rico, may be exempted from the “derecho de descarga.”

When a vessel, by being forced into harbour by stress of weather, or on account of any other *force majeure*, shall trans-ship her cargo to another vessel, or shall land the same temporarily, she shall not pay the duty, which can only be exacted for merchandize landed for introduction into the Island.

ART. 7. A reform of the present Customs Tariff shall be proceeded to, on the following bases :—

1. The admission to commerce, in the Custom-houses of Puerto Rico, of all kinds of *merchandize*, excepting only those articles the circulation of which may be prohibited by the Penal Laws and by the Laws of Public Security in force in the Island.

2. The right of exporting all kinds of produce of the country, with no limitation except the payment of the duties specially fixed for the articles included in the corresponding Tariff.

3. The amalgamation of the present Tariff dues, of the 2 per cent. for foreign importation, of the $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. for Custom-houses and wharves, of the $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. import duty for roads, of the “derecho de balanza,” and of the $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the import duty for the general encouragement of commerce, &c., into one sole duty, to be called the *Customs Duty*.

4. The suppression of all those articles which have produced but little during the last five years, and concerning which it cannot reasonably be

supposed that the importation will increase in the future.

5. The reduction of the differential duty by 50 per cent. until the expiration of two years, counting from the day on which the new Tariffs shall come into operation ; after which term the said duty shall be altogether abolished.

6. The suppression of the additional duties and bonuses mentioned in the remarks at the head of the Customs Tariff now in force.

7. The settling of 20 per cent. of the value of merchandize imported, as the maximum of the import dues.

8. The settling of 20 per cent. of the value of merchandize exported, as the maximum of the export dues.

9. The settling of 50 per cent. on the duties paid by merchandize coming from the Peninsula, ou being introduced through the Custom-houses of Puerto Rico, as the maximum of the difference to be imposed ou similar foreign goods paying duty in the said Custom-houses.

10. The classification of the goods in generic groups, and not in minute specific subdivisions, and the taking of the price of the article most abundantly imported, in preference to those included in each group, as the type of the value of the article for the imposition of the Customs duty.

11. The valuation of the goods, taking as a basis the medium of the prices of the articles at the places where duty is payable on the coast line, and especially the price at the places where the articles are produced, converting the rate per cent for the concrete imposition of duty into a fixed rate on the unit of weight, measure, or number.

12. The absolute prohibition of alterations by order or decree in the rates of duty marked in the

new tariff ; and the obligation on the part of the "Intendencia General" of Public Finance in Puerto Rico of proposing to the Government every two years, and on report of the Tariff Committee, the rectifications which experience may advise with reference to the classifications.

13. The continuation of the present exemptions from duty so long as there are no reasons sufficiently powerful to exclude from such exemptions any of the articles now free.

14. The prohibition of granting exceptions or of lowering the duty in favour of any industry, public establishment, company, or persons of any kind.

15. The creation of a Tariff Committee, to propose the reforms which the Tariff may need, and at the same time to draw up and publish annually tables of the average prices of goods throughout the year, so that the Administration may take into consideration the remarks which merchants and manufacturers may make thereon.

16. The adoption of the metrico-decimal system and of the "peseta" as the monetary unit for the settling of the new duties, stating the equivalent of the pesetas in dollars and centimes, and that of the metrical weights and measures in those now used in the island.

17. The application of the Customs Tariff of 12th July, 1869, in force in the Peninsula so far as it may be considered convenient.

ART. 8. The reform of the present Customs' Ordinances shall also be proceeded to, simplifying as far as it may be compatible with the interests of the Public Treasury, the documents, rules, and formalities now in force ; establishing the greatest possible rapidity in the dispatch of affairs, and giving the public a right to take legal steps (*acudir à la via contenciosa*) against any administrative

act which may infringe the rights granted to them by the Customs' laws.

ART. 16. The liquidation of all credits pending against the Public Treasury of Puerto Rico shall be proceeded to as soon as possible, for which purpose claims will be received up to 1st January, 1871, and the corresponding proofs may be presented until the same day in 1872 ; after those dates all credits not claimed in form and duly justified shall be declared extinct.

Credits liquidated before 1st July next shall be paid during the new financial year with Bills of the Public Treasury of Puerto Rico, which shall be received for their entire nominal value in payment of the fifth part of the sums due in any way to the State, and shall be extinguished as, by this means, they come into the Exchequer.

The rest of the Bills issued shall be made effective with the surplus at the end of the next financial year ; but should the surplus not be sufficient it shall be used for amortization, by drawing, of the Bills in circulation at that time, and the Treasury shall take steps for making effective during the financial year 1871-72, such Bills as may yet be unextinguished after the latter operation.

(C. 848.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 11, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, inclosing a Memorandum which has been drawn up by the Spanish Government as to the rate of import duty levied in Spain upon salt fish.

The following are the duties levied under the New Tariff:—

	Under Spanish Flag.	Under Foreign Flags.
	mil. esc.	mil. esc.
Cod-fish, stock fish, imported direct from European or American fisheries — per 100 kilos.	} 7 00	8 00
Ditto, ditto, from other foreign places		
'Morros,' intestines, and tongues, from European and American fisheries ...		
Ditto, ditto, from other foreign places		

On and after the 1st January, 1872, the duty will be levied without distinction as to flag, and will be fixed at 7 escudos. The duty will be further reduced to 15 per cent. ad valorem, in three gradual reductions, which will take effect on 1st July, 1875, the 1st July, 1878, and finally on 1st July, 1881.

War Office, Pall Mall,

12th July, 1870.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, William Henry MacGeorge, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cecil de Hoghton, who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.

7th Hussars, Lieutenant Thomas Hele Phipps, from the 31st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice

Hamilton Charles Beville, who exchanges.
Dated 13th July, 1870.

14th Hussars, Lieutenant Edmund Peel to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Robert Elwes, who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Cornet William Humble Dudley Ward to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Peel. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Thomas Horsfall Heaton Garrett, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ward. Dated 13th July, 1870.

William Ernest Hyder, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Evetts, whose appointment, on the 28th May, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 14th July, 1870.

16th Lancers, Brevet-Colonel James Peter Robertson, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, late Military Train, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel William Thomas Dickson, who retires upon temporary half-pay, receiving a portion of the former difference between Cavalry and Infantry. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Woollaston White to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Robertson, C.B., who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Captain Henry Clement Wilkinson to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel White. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Lieutenant John Daye Barker to be Captain, by purchase, vice Wilkinson. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Cornet William Noel Hill to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Barker. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Langworthy Baker to be Assistant-Surgeon,

vice James Robert Gaussen, M.B., deceased.
Dated 3rd May, 1870.

Royal Engineers, The undermentioned Lieutenants, employed in the Public Works Department in India, to be Seconded, but not to be succeeded in their Corps :—

Stephen Weston Jenner. Dated 23rd February, 1870.

John Barber Lindsell. Dated 25th February, 1870.

Edward Pemberton Leach. Dated 25th February, 1870.

Charles Frederic Call. Dated 14th May, 1870.

16th Foot, Ensign Edward Hunter Townshend to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Llewellyn, who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.

17th Foot, Captain George William Davern, from half-pay, late 47th Foot, to be Captain, vice William Richard Corballis, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 13th July, 1870.

20th Foot, Ensign Edward Stanley Newton Dickenson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Alfred Davies, who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Richard Marsh Dunn, Gent, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Dickenson. Dated 13th July, 1870.

21st Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Major Henry J. Wahab, from 94th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice the Honourable M. Mostyn, transferred to 101st Foot. Dated 13th July, 1870.

28th Foot, Lieutenant George Howard Moore-Lane to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Brett, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 27th April, 1870.

- 31st *Foot*, Lieutenant Hamilton Charles Beville, from 7th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice Phipps, who exchanges. Dated 13th July, 1870.
- 47th *Foot*, Captain Grainville Waddilove to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Villiers, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th July, 1870.
- 56th *Foot*, Captain Joseph Fleming, from half-pay, late 30th *Foot*, to be Captain, vice William Barnett, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 13th July, 1870.
- 76th *Foot*, Staff Surgeon William Henry Harris to be Surgeon, vice Henry Kelsall, whose appointment, as stated in the *Gazette* of 27th May, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 29th April, 1870.
- 85th *Foot*. Ensign William Wildman Kettlewell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Rowland McKay, who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.
- 94th *Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Major John Peter Hall, from late *Depôt Battalion*, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major Wahab, transferred to the 21st *Foot*. Dated 13th July, 1870.
- 100th *Foot*, The names of the Ensign appointed on 6th instant are *Edward French Owens*, and not as previously stated.
- 106th *Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Fleming Gleig to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Elliot, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1870.
- Rifle Brigade*, Ensign Lindsay H. John Barnard to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alexander Stuart Harington, who retires. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Henry Francis Gordon Forbes, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Barnard. Dated 13th July, 1870.

2nd West India Regiment, Robert Fetherstone Devereux, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Pollock, promoted. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Courteney Villiers, from the 47th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

The promotion of Colonel George Wynne, Royal Engineers, to the rank of Major-General, on 4th June, 1870, to be antedated to 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay or to alter the present relative position of this Officer.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel H. B. H. Rogers, retired upon full-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Apothecary John Leahy, of the Bombay Subordinate Medical Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 13th July, 1870.

Admiralty, 8th July, 1870.

Lieutenant Archer John William Musgrave has been this day promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 1st instant, in the hauling down vacancy of Admiral Warren, late Commander-in-Chief at Sheerness.
1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks :—

Paymaster Thomas S. Heywood, from the 1st instant.

(Mr. Heywood has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his retirement).

Assistant Paymasters :

Thomas W. Moore,
John Oxland,
Owen Davey,
from this date.

Admiralty, 12th July, 1870.

Lieutenant the Honourable Horatio Nelson Hood has been this day promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 9th instant, in the hauling down vacancy of Admiral Sir G. Rodney Mundy, K.C.B., late Commander-in-Chief on the North American and West Indian Station.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Denbigh.

Denbighshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edward Hardcastle, Esq., to be Cornet, vice Jesse, promoted. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Thomas Eyton Jones, Gent., M.R.C.S., to be Surgeon, vice Edmunds, deceased. Dated 18th June, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant Robert Bury, of the West Kent Yeomanry Cavalry (Queen's Own), to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 5th July, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 15,
1870.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, July 15, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be opened to the public, under the usual regulations, on and after Monday next, the 18th instant.

St. James's Palace, July 12, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Thomas Watson, Bart., M.D., F.R.S., to be one of the Physicians in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Sir James Clark, Bart., M.D., F.R.S., deceased.

St. James's Palace, July 12, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Burrows, M.D., F.R.S., to be one of Her Majesty's Physicians Extraordinary.

Foreign Office, July 13, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Valencourt Henry MacDonald as Consul at Belize for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Juan Antonio Disdier as Vice-Consul for Spain for the West Coast of Africa, to reside at Sierra Leone.

Crown Office, July 14, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

City of Norwich.

Jacob Henry Tillett, of Carow Abbey, in the city of Norwich, in the room of Sir Henry Josias Stracey, Bart., whose election for the said city has been determined to be void.

Whitehall, July 9, 1870.

The Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the decease of Thomas Spring, Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, the title and dignity of Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, devolved upon Thomas Spring, now Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, as the eldest son and heir of Stephen Edmond Spring Rice, commonly called the Honourable Stephen Edmond Spring Rice, whilst living the eldest son and heir apparent of the said Thomas Spring, late Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, and that according to the ordinary rules of honour the brother and sisters of the said Thomas Spring, now Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them had their said father Stephen Edmond Spring Rice survived his father, the said Thomas Spring, late Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Francis Spring Rice, Esquire, of the Royal Navy, Theodosia Spring Rice, Spinster, Aileen Spring,

the wife of John Raynor Arthur, Esquire, of the Bombay Civil Service, Lucy Spring, the wife of Octavius Newry Knox, Esquire, Alice Spring Rice, Frederica Spring Rice, Catherine Ellen Spring Rice, and Amy Spring Rice, Spinsters, the brother and sisters of the said Thomas Spring, now Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if their late father the said Stephen Edmond Spring Rice had survived his father the said Thomas Spring, late Baron Monteagle, of Brandon, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Monteagle, of Brandon :

And to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, July 12, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Percy Kendall, of the city of York, Gentleman, only son and heir of William Kendall, late of Lupset Lodge, in the parish of Wakefield, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may (in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Thomas Lumb, late of Wakefield, in the said county, Esquire, deceased) henceforth take and use the surname of Lumb, in addition to and after that of Kendall, and bear the arms of Lumb quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of Kendall ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Admiralty, 13th July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Thomas N. Underwood has been placed on the Retired List from the 8th instant.

Admiralty, 14th July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February 1870—

Commander Stephen F. Douglas has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date:—

Paymaster Samuel Hood Linzee Giles.

Mr. Giles has been authorized to assume the rank of Paymaster-in Chief from the date of his retirement.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

William Langham Christie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Bernard Hale, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Reginald Garton Wilberforce, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th July, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.**Royal Berks Militia.*

The Viscount Folkestone to be Lieutenant, vice Barlow, promoted. Dated 2nd July, 1870.

The Honourable Mark Bouverie to be Lieutenant, vice De Vitre, resigned. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Henry Mills Skrine to be Captain, vice Allen, resigned. Dated 9th July, 1870.

Cornet William Stephen Gore Langton to be Lieutenant, vice Foxcroft, promoted. Dated 9th July, 1870.

Samuel Evan Butler, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Harding, promoted. Dated 9th July, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 19,
1870.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS We are happily at peace with all Sovereigns, Powers, and States ;

And whereas, notwithstanding Our utmost exertions to preserve peace between all Sovereign Powers and States, a state of war unhappily exists between His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of the French and His Majesty the King of Prussia, and between their respective subjects and others inhabiting within their countries, territories, or dominions ;

And whereas We are on terms of friendship and amicable intercourse with each of these Sovereigns, and with their several subjects, and

others inhabiting within their countries, territories, or dominions;

And whereas great numbers of Our loyal subjects reside and carry on commerce, and possess property and establishments, and enjoy various rights and privileges, within the dominions of each of the aforesaid Sovereigns, protected by the faith of Treaties between Us and each of the aforesaid Sovereigns;

And whereas We, being desirous of preserving to Our subjects the blessings of peace, which they now happily enjoy, are firmly purposed and determined to abstain altogether from taking any part, directly or indirectly, in the war now unhappily existing between the said Sovereigns, their subjects and territories, and to remain at peace with, and to maintain a peaceful and friendly intercourse with each of them, and their respective subjects, and others inhabiting within any of their respective countries, territories, and dominions, and to maintain a strict and impartial neutrality in the said state of war, unhappily existing between them;

We, therefore, have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation.

And We do hereby strictly charge and command all Our loving subjects to govern themselves accordingly, and to observe a strict neutrality in and during the aforesaid war, and to abstain from violating or contravening either the laws and statutes of the realm in this behalf, or the law of nations in relation thereto, as they will answer to the contrary at their peril.

And whereas in and by a certain statute made and passed in the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, entitled “An Act to prevent the enlisting or engagement of His Majesty’s

subjects to serve in a foreign service, and the fitting out or equipping, in His Majesty's dominions, vessels for warlike purposes without His Majesty's license," it is amongst other things declared and enacted as follows:—"That if any person within any part of the United Kingdom, or in any part of His Majesty's dominions beyond the seas, shall, without the leave and license of His Majesty, for that purpose first had and obtained as aforesaid, equip, furnish, fit out, or arm, or attempt or endeavour to equip, furnish, fit out, or arm, or procure to be equipped, furnished, fitted out, or armed, or shall, knowingly aid, assist, or be concerned in the equipping, furnishing, fitting out, or arming of any ship, or vessel, with intent or in order that such ship or vessel shall be employed in the service of any foreign Prince, State, or Potentate, or of any foreign colony, province, or part of any province or people, or of any person or persons exercising or assuming to exercise any powers of government in or over any foreign state, colony, province, or part of any province or people, as a transport or store-ship, or with intent to cruise or commit hostilities against any Prince, State, or Potentate, or against the subjects or citizens of any Prince, State, or Potentate, or against the persons exercising, or assuming to exercise, the powers of government in any colony, province, or part of any province or country, or against the inhabitants of any foreign colony, province, or part of any province or country, with whom His Majesty shall not then be at war, or shall, within the United Kingdom, or any of His Majesty's dominions, or in any settlement, colony, territory, island, or place, belonging or subject to His Majesty, issue or deliver any commission for any ship or vessel, to the intent that such ship or vessel shall be employed as aforesaid, every such person so offending shall be

deemed guilty of a misdemeanour, and shall, upon conviction thereof, upon any information or indictment, be punished by fine and imprisonment, or either of them, at the discretion of the Court in which such offender shall be convicted ; and every such ship or vessel, with the tackle, apparel, and furniture, together with all the materials, arms, ammunition, and stores, which may belong to or be on board of any such ship or vessel, shall be forfeited ; and it shall be lawful for any officer of His Majesty's Customs or Excise, or any officer of His Majesty's Navy, who is by law empowered to make seizures for any forfeiture incurred under any of the laws of Customs or Excise, or the laws of trade or navigation, to seize such ships and vessels aforesaid, and in such places and in such manner, in which the officers of His Majesty's Customs or Excise, and the officers of His Majesty's Navy, are empowered respectively to make seizures under the laws of Customs and Excise, or under the laws of trade and navigation ; and that every such ship and vessel, with the tackle, apparel, and furniture, together with all the materials, arms, ammunition, and stores, which may belong to, or be on board of such ship or vessel, may be prosecuted, and condemned, in the like manner, and in such Courts as ships or vessels may be prosecuted and condemned for any breach of the laws made for the protection of the Revenues of Customs and Excise, or of the laws of trade and navigation."

And it is, in and by the said Act, further enacted, " That if any person in any part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or in any part of His Majesty's dominions beyond the seas, without the leave and license of His Majesty for that purpose first had and obtained as aforesaid, shall by adding to the number of the guns of such vessel, or changing those on board

for other guns, or by the addition of any equipment for war, increase or augment, or procure to be increased or augmented, or shall be knowingly concerned in increasing or augmenting, the war-like force of any ship or vessel of war, or cruizer, or other armed vessel, which, at the time of her arrival in any part of the United Kingdom, or any of His Majesty's dominions, was a ship of war, cruizer, or armed vessel, in the service of any foreign Prince, State, or Potentate, or of any person or persons exercising, or assuming to exercise, any powers of government in or over any colony, province, or part of any province or people belonging to the subjects of any such Prince, State, or Potentate, or to the inhabitants of any colony, province, or part of any province or country, under the control of any person or persons so exercising, or assuming to exercise, the powers of government, every such person so offending shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanour, and shall, upon being convicted thereof, upon any information or indictment, be punished by fine and imprisonment, or either of them, at the discretion of the Court before which such offender shall be convicted."

Now, in order that none of Our subjects may unwarily render themselves liable to the penalties imposed by the said statute, We do hereby strictly command that no person or persons whatsoever, do commit any act, matter, or thing whatsoever contrary to the provisions of the said statute, upon pain of the several penalties by the said statute imposed, and of Our high displeasure.

And We do hereby further warn and admonish all Our loving subjects, and all persons whatsoever entitled to our protection, to observe towards each of the aforesaid Sovereigns, their subjects and territories, and towards all belligerents whatsoever, with whom we are at peace, the duties of neutrality ; and to respect, in all and each of

them, the exercise of those belligerent rights which We and Our Royal Predecessors have always claimed to exercise.

And We do hereby further warn all Our loving subjects, and all persons whatsoever entitled to Our protection, that, if any of them shall presume in contempt of this Our Royal Proclamation, and of Our high displeasure, to do any acts in derogation of their duty as subjects of a neutral Sovereign, in a war between other Sovereigns, or in violation or contravention of the law of nations in that behalf, as more especially by breaking, or endeavouring to break, any blockade lawfully and actually established by or on behalf of either of the said Sovereigns, by carrying officers, soldiers, despatches, arms, ammunition, military stores or materials, or any article or articles considered and deemed to be contraband of war, according to the law or modern usages of nations, for the use or service of either of the said Sovereigns, that all persons so offending, together with their ships and goods, will rightfully incur, and be justly liable to, hostile capture, and to the penalties denounced by the law of nations in that behalf.

And We do hereby give notice, that all Our subjects and persons entitled to Our protection who may misconduct themselves in the premises, will do so at their peril and of their own wrong; and that they will in no wise obtain any protection from Us against such capture or such penalties as aforesaid, but will, on the contrary, incur Our high displeasure by such misconduct.

Given at Our Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, this nineteenth day of *July*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and in the thirty-fourth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

Foreign Office, July 19, 1870.

COPY of a Letter addressed by Eárl Granville to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty* :—

Foreign Office,

MY LORDS,

July 19, 1870.

HER Majesty being fully determined to observe the duties of neutrality during the existing state of war between the Emperor of the French and the King of Prussia, and being moreover resolved to prevent, as far as possible, the use of Her Majesty's harbours, ports, and coasts, and the waters within Her Majesty's territorial jurisdiction, in aid of the warlike purposes of either belligerent, has commanded me to communicate to Your Lordships, for your guidance, the following rules, which are to be treated and enforced as Her Majesty's orders and directions ;—

Her Majesty is pleased further to command that these rules shall be put in force in the United Kingdom, and in the Channel Islands, on and after the 26th of July instant, and in Her Majesty's territories and possessions beyond the seas, six days after the day when the Governor, or other chief authority, of each of such territories or possessions respectively, shall have notified and published the same ; stating in such Notification that the said rules are to be obeyed by all persons within the same territories and possessions.

1. During the continuance of the present state of war, all ships of war of either belligerent are prohibited from making use of any port or roadstead in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or in the Channel Islands, or in any of Her Majesty's colonies or foreign possessions or dependencies, or of any waters subject to the terri-

* Similar letters have been addressed to the Treasury, Home Office, Colonial Office, War Office, and India Office.

torial jurisdiction of the British Crown, as a station, or place of resort, for any warlike purpose, or for the purpose of obtaining any facilities of warlike equipment; and no ship of war of either belligerent shall hereafter be permitted to sail out of or leave any port, roadstead, or waters subject to British jurisdiction, from which any vessel of the other belligerent (whether the same shall be a ship of war or a merchant ship) shall have previously departed, until after the expiration of, at least, twenty-four hours from the departure of such last mentioned vessel beyond the territorial jurisdiction of Her Majesty.

2. If any ship of war of either belligerent shall, after the time when this Order shall be first notified and put in force in the United Kingdom, and in the Channel Islands, and in the several colonies and foreign possessions and dependencies of Her Majesty respectively, enter any port, roadstead, or waters belonging to Her Majesty, either in the United Kingdom or in the Channel Islands, or in any of Her Majesty's colonies or foreign possessions or dependencies, such vessel shall be required to depart and to put to sea within twenty-four hours after her entrance into such port, roadstead, or waters, except in case of stress of weather, or of her requiring provisions or things necessary for the subsistence of her crew, or repairs; in either of which cases the authorities of the port, or of the nearest port (as the case may be), shall require her to put to sea as soon as possible after the expiration of such period of twenty-four hours, without permitting her to take in supplies beyond what may be necessary for her immediate use; and no such vessel which may have been allowed to remain within British waters for the purpose of repair shall continue in any such port, roadstead, or waters, for a longer period than twenty-four hours

after her necessary repairs shall have been completed. Provided, nevertheless, that in all cases in which there shall be any vessel (whether ships of war or merchant-ships) of the said belligerent parties in the same port, roadstead, or waters within the territorial jurisdiction of Her Majesty, there shall be an interval of not less than twenty-four hours between the departure therefrom of any such vessel (whether ship of war or merchant-ship) of the one belligerent, and the subsequent departure therefrom of any ship of war of the other belligerent; and the time hereby limited for the departure of such ships of war respectively shall always, in case of necessity, be extended so far as may be requisite for giving effect to this proviso, but no further or otherwise.

3. No ship of war of either belligerent shall hereafter be permitted, while in any port, roadstead, or waters subject to the territorial jurisdiction of Her Majesty, to take in any supplies, except provisions and such other things as may be requisite for the subsistence of her crew, and except so much coal only as may be sufficient to carry such vessel to the nearest port of her own country, or to some nearer destination, and no coal shall again be supplied to any such ship of war in the same or any other port, roadstead, or waters subject to the territorial jurisdiction of Her Majesty, without special permission, until after the expiration of three months from the time when such coal may have been last supplied to her within British waters as aforesaid.

4. Armed ships of either party are interdicted from carrying prizes made by them into the ports, harbours, roadsteads, or waters of the United Kingdom, or any of Her Majesty's colonies or possessions abroad.

I have, &c.,

GRANVILLE.

By the QUEEN.
A PROCLAMATION.

In order to the Electing a Peer of Scotland.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS George, Earl of Haddington, was duly elected and returned to be one of the sixteen Peers of Scotland to sit in the House of Peers in the present Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and is since deceased: In order to the Electing another Peer of Scotland to sit in his room, We do, by the advice of Our Privy Council, issue forth this Our Royal Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holyrood House, at Edinburgh, on Thursday, the fourth day of August next ensuing, between the hours of twelve and two in the afternoon, to nominate and choose another Peer of Scotland to sit and vote in the House of Peers in this present Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the room of the said George, Earl of Haddington, deceased, by open election and plurality of voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the proxies of such as shall be absent (such proxies being Peers and producing a mandate in writing duly signed before witnesses, and both the constituent and proxy being qualified according to law): and the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his name, are hereby respectively required to attend such meeting, and to administer the oaths required by law to be taken there by the said Peers and to take their votes; and immediately after such election made and duly examined, to certify the name of the Peer so elected, and to sign and attest the same in the presence of

the said Peers the electors, and return such certificate into Our High Court of Chancery of Great Britain : and We strictly charge and command that this Our Royal Proclamation be duly published at the Market Cross, at Edinburgh, and in all the county towns of Scotland, ten days at least before the time hereby appointed for the meeting of the said Peers to proceed on such election.

Given at Our Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, this nineteenth day of *July*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and in the thirty-fourth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 19th day of *July*, 1870. •

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to suspend the calling out of the Buckinghamshire and the Cumberland Regiments of Militia for the purpose of being trained and exercised in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

Downing Street, July 18, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to nominate James Robert Longden, Esq. (now Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of British Honduras), to be appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Trinidad.

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Whitehall, July 16, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Arthur Crichton, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shire or Sheriffdom of Fife, in the room of Donald Mackenzie, Esq., resigned.

Whitehall, July 18, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Pitt, M.A., to the charge and office of Second Minister of the church and parish of Dunfermline, in the presbytery of Dunfermline, and shire of Fife, vacant by the translation of the Reverend James French from the Second to the First Charge thereof.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
19th July, 1870.*

4th Regiment of Hussars, Captain Francis Arthur Hutchins, from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice T. Gist, who exchanges. Dated 21st July, 1870.

7th Hussars, Captain Hugh McCalmont, from 9th Lancers, to be Captain, vice Sir Morison Barlow, Bart., who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Captain Theophilus Gist, from 4th Hussars, to be Captain, vice F. A. Hutchins, who exchanges. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Captain John Daye Barker, from 16th Lancers, to be Captain, vice W. E. Shaw, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1870.

9th Lancers, Captain Sir Morison Barlow, Bart., from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice McCalmont. who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1870.

- 16th Lancers*, Captain William Edward Shaw, from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice J. D. Barker, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1870.
- 17th Lancers*, Captain Robert Bainbridge to be Major, by purchase, vice the Honourable William Henry Curzon, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- Lieutenant Thomas Arthur Cooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bainbridge. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- Cornet William Trevelyan Somerset Kevill-Davies to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cooke. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- Royal Engineers*, Captain Robert Sellon Sellon (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. Southey, who retires on full-pay. Dated 15th May, 1870.
- Second Captain Edward Parry Gambier (late Bombay) to be Captain, vice Sellon. Dated 15th May, 1870.
- Lieutenant James Henry Robert Cruickshank (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Gambier. Dated 15th May, 1870.
- 1st Foot*, Ensign Thomas Lee Thorp to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Pratt, who resigns that appointment on proceeding to England. Dated 1st April, 1870.
- 11th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Malcolm Edward Haleman Owen Welch, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John Robe Walker, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 14th Foot*, Ensign Matthew Wyatt has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 20th July, 1870.

- 17th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Captain H. Hollis Howett to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st May, 1870.
- 24th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Carroll Dempster to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. J. Bromhead, who resigns that appointment. Dated 20th December, 1869.
- 32nd Foot*, Lieutenant W. F. D. Cochrane to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. J. Glascott, who resigns that appointment. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 40th Foot*, Lieutenant William Henry Moberly, from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Moore Pilcher, who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 45th Foot*, Ensign James Skinner to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Annesley John Garrett, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 46th Foot*, Captain Francis Henry Algernon Disney-Roebeck, from 83rd Foot, to be Captain, vice C. J. Wyndham, whose transfer on the 29th June, 1870, from the 83rd Foot, has been cancelled. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 63rd Foot*, Captain Thomas Aked, from half-pay late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice A. G. F. Griffiths, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 65th Foot*, Lieutenant Vivian Page Byrne, from the 77th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice S. B. Royds, who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1870.
- 72nd Foot*, Captain Maurice G. B. FitzGerald, from half-pay late 16th Laneers, to be Captain, vice Alexander Dingwall Fordyce, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Lieutenant Walter Frederick Kelsey to be Captain, by purchase, vice M. G. B. FitzGerald, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Ensign John William Allin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kelsey. Dated 20th July, 1870.

75th Foot, Lieutenant Alfred Sinclair Leatham to be Captain, by purchase, vice Raymond William Parr, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Ensign Philip Francis Walker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Leatham. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Denman Lambert Baynes, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Walker. Dated 20th July, 1870.

77th Foot, Lieutenant Smith Byrom Royds, from the 65th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Byrne, who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1870.

79th Foot, Ensign F. Neilson Chalmers to receive the value of his Commission on being transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th July, 1870.

87th Foot, Captain Joseph Noble Beasley to be Major, without purchase, vice Hallowses, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th July, 1870.

94th Foot, Captain Alfred Sinclair Leatham, from the 75th Foot, to be Captain, vice Murray, promoted. Dated 20th July, 1870.

96th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Cadell Greenslade Leman to be Instructor of Musketry, vice the late Lieutenant Broughton, who resigned that appointment. Dated 26th September, 1869.

105th Foot, Lieutenant James Edgar Baines to be Captain, vice Kenneth Douglas Coffin, who retires. Dated 6th May, 1870.

Ensign William Douglas Graham to be Lieutenant, vice A. G. C. Power, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1870.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Robert Moore Pilcher, from the 40th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. Moberly, who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon-Major Sandford McVittie Lloyd, M.D., to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice Francis Reid, M.D., placed on temporary half-pay, from 1st June, 1870. Dated 30th June, 1870.

Staff Assistant - Surgeon Augustus Frederick Elliot, M.D., to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Rowe, M.B., to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Allan Nesbitt Fox to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Military Store Department, The second Christian name of Assistant Superintendent of Stores Bagenal is *Sedley*, not *Tedley*, as previously stated.

Half-Pay, Major John Hallows, from the 87th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Royal Military College, Brevet-Colonel Edward Bruce Hamley, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be Commandant, Staff College, vice Brevet-Colonel Thomas E. Lacy, who has completed a period of service on the Staff. Dated 1st July, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Wilson, Bengal Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 14th March. 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Southey, retired full-pay, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only. Dated 15th May, 1870.

Admiralty, 16th July, 1870.

The Honourable Frederick Canning Lascelles has been this day promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, for special service.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 22,
1870.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 19th day of *July*, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Earl of Kimberley.

Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Dufferin.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for appeals from Her Majesty's Supreme Court of the Colony of Natal to Her Majesty in Council: It is therefore ordered by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, as follows:

It shall and may be lawful for any person or persons being a party or parties to any civil suit

or action depending in the said Supreme Court of the Colony of Natal to appeal to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in her or their Privy Council, against any final judgment, decree or sentence of the said Court, or against any rule or order made in any such civil suit or action having the effect of a final or definitive sentence, and which appeals shall be made subject to the rules, regulations, and limitations following, that it to say :

First: Such judgment, decree, order, or sentence shall be given or pronounced for or in respect of a sum or matter at issue above the amount of five hundred pounds sterling, or shall involve directly or indirectly the title to property or to some civil right amounting to or of the value of five hundred pounds sterling.

Secondly: The person or persons feeling aggrieved by such judgment, decree, order, or sentence, shall, within fourteen days next after the same shall have been pronounced, made, or given, apply to the said Supreme Court for leave to appeal therefrom to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in her or their Privy Council.

Thirdly: If such leave to appeal shall be prayed by the party or parties who is or are adjudged to pay any sum of money or to perform any duty, the court shall direct that the judgment, decree, or sentence appealed from shall be carried into execution, if the party or parties respondent shall give security for the immediate performance of any judgment or sentence which may be pronounced or made by Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in her or their Privy Council, upon any appeal, and until such security be given, the execution of the judgment, decree, order, or sentence appealed from shall be stayed.

Fourthly: Provided nevertheless, that if the

party or parties appellant shall establish to the satisfaction of the said Supreme Court that real and substantial justice requires that pending such appeal execution should be stayed, it shall be lawful for such Supreme Court to order the execution of such judgment, decree, order, or sentence to be suspended pending such appeal, if the party or parties appellant shall give security for the immediate performance of any judgment or sentence which may be pronounced or made by Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in her or their Privy Council, upon any such appeal.

Fifthly : In all cases security shall also be given by the party or parties appellant for the prosecution of the appeal, and for the payment of all such costs as may be awarded by Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, to the party or parties respondent.

Sixthly : The said Supreme Court shall, subject to the conditions hereinafter mentioned determine the nature, amount, and sufficiency of the several securities so to be taken as aforesaid.

Seventhly : Provided, nevertheless, that in any case where the subject of litigation shall consist of immovable property, and the judgment, decree, order, or sentence appealed from shall not change, affect, or relate to the actual occupation thereof, no security shall be demanded either from the party or parties respondent or from the party or parties appellant for the performance of the judgment or sentence to be pronounced or made upon such appeal ; but if such judgment, decree, order, or sentence shall change, affect, or relate to the occupation of any such property, then such security shall not be of greater amount than may be necessary to secure the restitution, free from all damage or loss of such property, or of the intermediate profit which, pending any

such appeal, may probably accrue from the intermediate occupation thereof.

Eighthly: In any case where the subject of litigation shall consist of money or other chattels, or of any personal debt or demand, the security to be demanded either from the party or parties respondent or from the party or parties appellant, for the performance of the judgment or sentence to be pronounced or made upon such appeal, shall be either a bond to be entered into in the amount or value of such subject of litigation by one or more sufficient surety or sureties, or such security shall be given by way of mortgage or voluntary condemnation of or upon some immovable property situate and being within such settlement, and being of the full value of such subject of litigation over and above the amount of all mortgages and charges of whatever nature upon or affecting the same.

Ninthly: The security to be given by the party or parties appellant for the prosecution of the appeal and for the payment of costs shall in no case exceed the sum of five hundred pounds sterling; and shall be given either by such surety or sureties, or by such mortgage or voluntary condemnation as aforesaid.

Tenthly: If the security to be given by the party or parties appellant for the prosecution of the appeal and for the payment of such costs as may be awarded, shall in manner aforesaid be completed within three months from the date of the petition for leave to appeal, then, and not otherwise, the said Supreme Court shall make an order allowing such appeal, and the party or parties appellant shall be at liberty to prefer and prosecute his, her, or their appeal to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in her or their Privy Council, in such manner and under such rules

as are observed in appeals made to Her Majesty in Council from the plantations or colonies.

Eleventhly : Provided nevertheless, that any person or persons feeling aggrieved by any order which may be made by, or by any proceedings of the said Supreme Court, respecting the security to be taken upon any such appeal as aforesaid, shall be and is hereby authorized by petition to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in Council, to apply for redress in the premises.

Provided always, and it is hereby further ordered, that nothing herein contained doth or shall extend, or be construed to extend, to take away or abridge the undoubted right or authority of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, to admit and receive any appeal from any judgment, decree, sentence, or order of the said Supreme Court on the humble petition of any person or persons aggrieved thereby, in any case in which, and subject to any conditions or restrictions upon and under which it may seem meet to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, so to admit and receive any such appeal.

In all cases of appeal allowed by the said Supreme Court, or by Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, such Court shall, on the application and at the costs of the party or parties appellant, certify and transmit to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, in her or their Privy Council, a true and exact copy of all proceedings, evidence, judge's notes of evidence, and judge's reasons, judgments, decrees, and orders had or made in such causes so appealed, so far as the same have relation to the matter of appeal, such copies to be certified under the seal of the said court.

The said Supreme Court shall in all cases of appeal to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, execute and carry into immediate effect such judgments and orders as Her Majesty, her heirs

and successors, shall make thereupon in such manner as any original judgment or decree of the said court can or may be executed.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Kimberley, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Arthur Helps.

St. James's Palace, July 21, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles, Marquis of Huntly, to be one of the Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Robert Adam Philips Haldane, Earl of Camperdown, resigned.

Downing Street, July 21, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Talbot, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Newfoundland.

Crown Office, July 20, 1870.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

City of Rochester.

Julian Goldsmid, Esq., in the room of John Alexander Kinglake, Esq., deceased.

July 21.

Borough of Brecknock.

James Price Gwynne Holford, of Buckland, in the county of Brecknock, Esq., in the room of Edward Hyde Villiers (commonly called Lord Hyde), now Earl of Clarendon, called to the House of Peers.

War Office, Pall Mall.

22nd July, 1870.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, The under-mentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants, viz :—

Philip Edmund Monckton, vice C. H. F. Ellis, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Richard Cecil Corbett, vice C. G. Rule, deceased. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Charles James Long, vice F. H. Wheatley, resigned. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Lawrence Worthington Parsons, vice J. F. Owen, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Alfred Kirkman Loyd, vice A. E. Garnault, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

The Honourable Henry Charles Denison, vice R. Warburton, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Robert Lawrence Scarlett, vice E. Almon, deceased. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Francis William Radcliff, vice J. E. Gubbins, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

William James Clarke, vice A. R. Cruikshank, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Arthur Gregory Scroold Wade, vice J. H. Stratton, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Charles Carroll Rich, vice W. G. Stirling, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Royal Engineers, The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants with temporary rank, viz :—

Herbert Charles Chermiside. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Tolmie John Tresidder. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

James Edward Gibbs. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Thomas Ryder Main. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

- Maziere Kyle Brady. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Charles William Sherrard. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Henry Waugh Renny-Tailyour. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 William Pitt. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Charles Wilkinson. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Horatio Holt Hart. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Owen Vidal Boddy. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 John Claudius Montgomery Beresford. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Charles Burton Henderson. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Lionel Langley. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Charles Boyd Wilkieson. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Gother Fyers Mann. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Francis John Romilly. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 James Taylor Johnston. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Charles Carre Carter. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Edward Dickinson. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 William Frederick Noel Noel. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Charles Augustus Rochfort-Boyd. Dated 23rd July, 1870.
 Henry Lethbridge Jessep. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

BREVET.

- The Commission of Major - General Arthur Broome, C.S.I., Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be antedated to the 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 24th May, 1870.
 Colonel William Kinnaird Worster, retired full-pay, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 30th April, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers of the Royal Artillery having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated the 3rd February, 1866, viz. :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis William Hastings.

Dated 5th June, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Harvey Elwyn (late Madras). Dated 24th June, 1870.

India Office, 21st July, 1870.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India :—

BREVET.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Philip Yorke Triscott, Madras Infantry. Dated 7th February, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Paxton, Madras Infantry. Dated 10th March, 1870.

To be Major.

Captain Robert Arthur Walter Charles Stuart, 17th Madras Native Infantry. Dated 16th February, 1870.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Henry Wilberforce Bird, 6th Madras Light Cavalry. Dated 20th February, 1870.

Major Thomas Sweet, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Maunsell Mark Prendergast to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General D. Macleod, Madras Cavalry, deceased. Dated 8th February, 1870.

Major William Barber, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Hugh Gordon Thomson, Madras Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to General C. B. James, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 22nd February, 1870.

Captain Francis Dawson, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain C. Vanrenen Conway Gordon, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General F. G. Lister, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 1st March, 1870.

Major Harry Hammon Lyster, V.C., Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Malcolm Bandinel Sabin Lloyd, Madras Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Major-General G. Burney, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 26th March, 1870.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Richardson Auldjo. Dated 28th February, 1870.

Major Robert Davidson. Dated 1st March, 1870.

Major (Major-General) Henry Wylie Norman, C.B. Dated 1st March, 1870.

Major Brooking Soady. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Major Herbert Lowe Campbell. Dated 21st April, 1870.

To be Majors.

Captain William Winson. Dated 3rd March, 1870.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Guy Annesley Prendergast. Dated 20th March, 1870.

Captain Thomas Gully Ross. Dated 20th March, 1870.

Captain Henry Fowler Newmarch. Dated 25th March, 1870.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Charles John Farquharson. Dated 4th March, 1870.

Lieutenant Christopher Garcia. Dated 23rd March, 1870.

Lieutenant William Reeves Banbury. Dated 31st March, 1870.

Lieutenant Archibald Dunstaffnage Campbell. Dated 4th April, 1870.

Lieutenant James William Abbott Michell. Dated 4th April, 1870.

Lieutenant Pierre Louis Napoleon Cavagnari. Dated 9th April, 1870.

Major H. D. Battye will rank from 7th January, 1870.

BENGAL ARMY.

INFANTRY.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Philip Hampton to be Colonel. Dated 1st March, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Frederick Maitland to be Colonel. Dated 26th March, 1870.

Major Ralph Bristow Dundas, from late 38th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st March, 1870.

Major Roberts William Elton, from late 74th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 26th March, 1870.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant J. E. Sandeman. Dated 28th February, 1870.

- Lieutenant William More Molyneux. Dated 10th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant Ralph Anstruther Price. Dated 26th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant Walter Morland Story. Dated 26th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant Edward Evans Griggs. Dated 26th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant James Murphy Tulloch. Dated 26th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant Charles Ransford. Dated 26th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant George MacCall. Dated 26th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant John Richard Breeks Atkinson. Dated 29th March, 1870.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeon-Major.

- Surgeon David Young, M.D. Dated 20th March, 1870.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

- Major Robert Renton. Dated 27th February, 1870.
- Major Edward Bannerman Ramsay. Dated 27th February, 1870.
- Major James Langford Pearse. Dated 1st March, 1870.
- Major Goodson Adey. Dated 1st March, 1870.
- Major Henry Clyde Fletcher. Dated 4th March, 1870.
- Major Charles William Cox. Dated 4th March, 1870.
- Major Henry Imlach Bett. Dated 5th March, 1870.

To be Majors.

Captain Mark William Carr. Dated 16th February, 1870.

Captain Patrick Alexander Carnegie. Dated 16th February, 1870.

Captain Crommelin Henry Ricketts. Dated 20th February, 1870

Captain Henry Philip Hawkes. Dated 3rd March, 1870.

Captain George John Davies Heath. Dated 3rd March, 1870.

Captain Joseph Johnstone Muir. Dated 9th March, 1870.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Robert James Brown Simpson. Dated 20th February, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles James Toller Whitlock. Dated 20th February, 1870.

Lieutenant Henry Marsh Septimus Magrath. Dated 4th March, 1870.

Lieutenant Edmund Henry Eyre. Dated 4th March, 1870.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon John Wilson. Dated 9th March, 1870.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Frederic William Jones. Dated 20th March, 1870.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant George Bruce Simpson. Dated 11th March, 1870.

BOMBAY ARMY.

INFANTRY.

Major Charles Donald Macleod, from late 31st Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th October, 1869.

Major Charles Renny Blair, from late 2nd Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Late 2nd Native Infantry.

Captain Charles Renny Blair to be Major. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Captain Stanley de Burgh Edwardes to be Major. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Late 15th Native Infantry.

Captain Horace Kendal Bushe to be Major. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Late 2nd European Regiment.

Lieutenant Arthur Harvey Davis. Dated 11th November, 1869.

Late 6th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Charles Sheppey Sturt to be Captain. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Late 26th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Henry Martin to be Captain. Dated 31st October, 1869.

The undermentioned Officers to rank as follows:—

2nd Light Cavalry.

Captain Henry Hawkins Drury Owen, from 23rd August, 1869.

INFANTRY.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Young Sinclair,
from 17th May, 1869.

Lieutenant Gordon Sutherland Morris, from 17th
May, 1869.

Late 5th Native Infantry.

Captain Robert A. C. Hunt, from 2nd August,
1869.

Late 15th Native Infantry.

Major Gordon Sutherland Morris, from 17th May,
1869.

Late 24th Native Infantry.

Captain John William Holland, from 17th May,
1869.

Late 31st Native Infantry.

Major Charles Donald McLeod, from 17th May,
1869.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant James Rutherford. Dated 14th Octo-
ber, 1869.

Lieutenant Charles Lewis Hulbert. Dated 31st
October, 1869.

Lieutenant John Mellish Madden. Dated 31st
October, 1869.

Lieutenant Richard John le Poer Trench. Dated
31st October, 1869.

Lieutenant Frederick Schuler Leacock. Dated
31st October, 1869.

Lieutenant Malcolm Hassells Nicholson. Dated
31st October, 1869.

Lieutenant Charles Spring Lechmere. Dated 31st
October, 1869.

Lieutenant Walter Wightwik Haywood. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Lieutenant Scopoli Walcott. Dated 31st October, 1869.

Lieutenant Thomas Alexander Buchanan. Dated 31st October, 1869.

The undermentioned Officers will rank as follows :—

Captain James Ketchen; from 13th July, 1869.

Captain Alfred Hobart Wodehouse, from 2nd August, 1869.

Captain Piercy Henderson Greig, from 24th August, 1869.

Captain Edward Mockler, from 14th October, 1869.

Captain Frederick Day Mander, from 14th October, 1869.

Admiralty, 19th July, 1870.

Lieutenant Alexander Plantagenet Hastings has been this day promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, in the hauling-down vacancy of Vice-Admiral the Honourable George Fowler Hastings, C.B., late Commander-in-Chief on the Pacific Station.

John Murphy, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 14th July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the above date :—

Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat John Ward.

Admiralty, 20th July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 8th instant :—

Staff Surgeon James D. Cronin, M.D.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Queen's Own Dorset Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Henry Edward Fox Strangways, Earl of Ilchester, to be Captain, vice Mansel, resigned.
Dated 18th July, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Royal Surrey Militia.

Lieutenant Richard James Hartland Mahon to be Captain, vice Bonus, resigned. Dated 15th July, 1870.

2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Charles Thomson Ritchie, Esq., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 16th June, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Regiment of Militia.

Sir George Innes, Bart., to be Captain, vice Gregory, resigned. Dated 15th July. 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lieutenant Sutcliffe Slater to be Captain, vice
Edward Anthony Ledgard, resigned. Dated
9th July, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

2nd Warwickshire Militia.

Lieutenant Ralph Cromwell Gregg to be Captain,
vice Howard, resigned. Dated 12th July,
1870.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 26,
1870.*

Foreign Office, July 25, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of
Mr. Adam Badeau as Consul-General in London
for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of
Mr. Louis Heldbeck as Consul at Lagos for the
North German Confederation.

Whitehall, July 16, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto
Alexander James Badgley, Esquire, a Captain in
the 33rd (Duke of Wellington's) Regiment of
Foot, Her Royal licence and authority that he and
his issue may, in compliance with a clause con-
tained in the last will and testament of Thomas

Weeding, late of Mecklenburgh-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Malden, in the county of Surrey, Esquire, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Weeding only :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

Whitehall, July 21, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Albert George Dew, of the city of Salisbury, of Rushett House, in the parish of Thames Ditton, in the county of Surrey, and of Trinity College, in the University of Cambridge, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of William Smith, late of the parish of St. Thomas, in the city of New Sarum, Banker, deceased, henceforth take, use, and bear the surname of Smith, in addition to and after that of Dew :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

(C. 918).

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 23, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires in Venezuela, transmitting copies of two Decrees of General Guzman Blanco, the one declaring the Port of Borburata open to trade for

importation and exportation, and the other granting permission to foreign vessels to engage in the coasting trade of Venezuela for the term of four months, under the formalities and requirements established for native vessels by the VI Law of the Code of Finance, sanctioned on the 25th of May, 1867, which is in force.

(C. 929.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 23, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Vienna, inclosing translation of two Articles of a Treaty recently signed and ratified between Austria and the North German Confederation, for the abolition of the Elbe Dues.

The following is the translation of the Articles:—

ART. I. On and after July 1, 1870, tolls shall be levied on the Elbe upon ships and their cargoes, and upon rafts only for use of certain special appliances designed for the facilitation of traffic.

ART. II. The Convention of the 4th of April, 1863, between Prussia, Austria, Saxony, Hanover, Denmark, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Anhalt-Dessau-Köthen, Anholt-Bernburg, Lubeck, and Hamburgh, respecting a readjustment of the Elbe Dues, the regulations imposed by existing treaties, compacts affecting the navigation of the Elbe, which were suspended in virtue of Art. 14 of that Convention, and the compact of the 4th of April, 1863, between Prussia, Austria, Saxony, Anhalt-Dessau-Köthen, Anholt-Bernburg, and Hamburgh, concerning the administration and imposition at Wittenberg of the Elbe Dues, held in common, will cease to have force on and after July, 1870.

War Office, Pall Mall,
26th July, 1870.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Arthur Gibbings to be Captain, by purchase, vice Frederick Henry Huth, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Cornet Henry Le Patourel to be Lieutenant, by purchase vice Gibbings. Dated 27th July 1870.

7th Hussars, Captain John Bayley to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Heathcote Stisted, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward Dean Fisher to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bayley. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Cornet Lord Marcus Talbot De la Poer Beresford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fisher. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Russell Smith, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Lord M. T. De la Poer Beresford. Dated 27th July, 1870.

9th Lancers, Lieutenant Walter Glyn Lawrell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Augustus Candy, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Cornet the Honourable Godfrey Ernest Percival Willoughby to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lawrell. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Strange Gould Butson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice the Honourable G. E. P. Willoughby. Dated 27th July, 1870.

17th Lancers. Lieutenant Starling Meux Benson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Waymouth, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Cornet Charles Edward Swaine to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Benson. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Thomas Mack, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Swaine. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George W. Alexander Higginson to be Major, vice Brevet-Colonel J. H. King, C.B., deceased. Dated 10th July, 1870.

Lieutenant and Captain Edward George Henry, Viscount Hinchbrook to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Higginson. Dated 10th July, 1870.

Ensign and Lieutenant William Slaney Kenyon-Slaney to be Lieutenant and Captain, without purchase, vice Viscount Hinchbrook. Dated 10th July, 1870.

14th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Richard Gore Hinds, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas Bennett, who exchanges. Dated 5th July, 1870.

21st Foot, Ensign John Rollo Harriman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Francis Sigurd Ring, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

22nd Foot, Captain Henry Edward Watson to be Major, by purchase, vice Samuel Fairtlough, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Lieutenant John Henry Hamersley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Watson. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Ensign Henry Humfrey Sealy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hamersley. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas Clerk, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sealy. Dated 27th July, 1870.

35th Foot, Lieutenant W. Tolson to be Adju-

tant, vice Lieutenant Trocke, retired. Dated 30th March, 1870.

36th Foot, Captain Richard B. Lloyd to be Major, without purchase, vice Rickard Lloyd, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th July, 1870.

45th Foot, Ensign James McCleverty to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Egerton Curtis, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

53rd Foot, Ensign Godfrey John Smith to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Douglas Curry Ingle, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

63rd Foot, Lieutenant James Henry Jackson, from 90th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. J. Banbury, who exchanges. Dated 27th July, 1870.

69th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Dudley Gordon Alan King, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Malcolm Wilson, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1870.

89th Foot, Lieutenant William Wildman Kettlewell, from the 85th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Newbigging, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 13th July, 1870.

90th Foot, Lieutenant William Joseph Banbury, from 63rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. H. Jackson, who exchanges. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Medical Department, Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Bennett, from 14th Foot, to be Staff-Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Richard Gore Hinds, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 5th July, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major Rickard Lloyd, from 36th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Captain Thomas Grace, retired upon full-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 27th July, 1870.

The undermentioned promotion in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to take place consequent on the death of Major-General Sir Archibald Bogle, Bengal Infantry, on 12th June, 1870 :—

Colonel Herbert Edward Stacey Abbott, Bengal Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 13th June, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank, as follows :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Daniel Maunsell, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 27th July, 1870.

To be Inspectors-General of Hospitals.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals John Sutherland, Bengal Establishment. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Deputy Inspector General of Hospitals Hugh Martin Macpherson, Bengal Establishment. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Admiralty, 22nd July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List from the 9th instant, and allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander :—

Lieutenant Weyland Mere Latham.

Admiralty, 25th July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List from the 22nd instant :—

Navigating Lieutenant William Henry Panter.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Montague Joseph Feilden being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel of the 3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia. Dated 16th July, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Gerard Walmesley, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Fletcher, resigned. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

West Kent Yeomanry Cavalry (Queen's Own).

Henry Arthur Brassey, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Roberts, promoted. Dated 20th July, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Ayr.*

*Prince Regent's Royal Regiment of Ayr and
Wigtown Militia.*

John Vernor Webster, Esq., to be Lieutenant,
vice Gemmell, promoted. Dated 24th June,
1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Captain the Right Honourable Orlando George
Charles, Earl of Bradford, late of the South
Salopian Yeomanry Cavalry, being permitted to
retain his rank and wear the uniform of the
Regiment. Dated 14th July, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 29,
1870.

Downing Street, July 28, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to
make the following appointments to the Most
Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class
or Companions of the said Order :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Howard Craufurd Elphinstone, R.E., C.B., Governor to His Royal Highness Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert.

Donald McLean, Esq., Member of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand and Minister for Native Affairs in that Colony.

(C. 962.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 28, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul-General at Tunis, reporting that the Bey's prohibition on the exportation of wheat and barley from the Regency has been removed.

(C. 965.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 28, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Buenos Ayres, reporting that the quarantine imposed on arrivals from the Brazilian ports has been removed in consequence of the disappearance of yellow fever in the ports of the Empire.

(C. 966.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 29, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of an Imperial Decree, dated the 24th instant, prohibiting the export of certain articles from France during the war.

The following is a translation of the Articles of this Decree :—

ART. 1. The export, the re-exportation from bon 1. and the transit of articles designated in the
1870.

Table annexed to the present Decree are prohibited.

Nevertheless, exceptions to this rule may be accorded by our Minister of Finance when the articles are bound for certain destinations.

With respect to exportations, re-exportations, and transit which shall be thus exceptionally authorized, the destination when they shall take place by sea, shall be guaranteed by *acquits-à-caution*, which must be discharged by the Consular Agents of France.

ART. 2. Our Ministers of Agriculture and of Commerce, and of Finance, are charged with the execution of the present Decree, which will have effect from the day when it shall be made public by the Prefects in the manner prescribed by the Ordinance of the 18th January, 1817.

TABLE of Articles of which the exportation, the re-exportation, and the transit are prohibited, subject to the exceptions which shall be authorised by the Minister of Finance :—

1. Arms of war of every kind.
 2. Lead, sulphur, powder, saltpetre, nitrate of soda, fire stones, percussion caps, gun stocks, projectiles, and other munitions of war of every kind, articles of military clothing, camping equipment, and harness.
 3. Horses.
 4. Sailing and steam vessels, machines and parts of machines belonging to navigation, rigging and artillery of ships, and all other articles, raw or manufactured, of naval and military material.
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Admiralty, 26th July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February,

1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks :—

Paymasters :

Frederick Gransmore, from this date.

Joseph G. W. Hoare, from the 22nd instant.

Mr. Gransmore has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his retirement.

Assistant Paymaster George W. de L. Willis, from this date.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

Lieutenant Charles Hunter to be Captain, vice Farquhar, resigned. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Renfrew Militia.

Lieutenant Edward Sambourne McDougal to be Captain, vice Speir, resigned. Dated 4th July, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain John Gollop in the Dorset Regiment of Militia, and in consideration of his service, approves of his being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, and permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 14th June, 1870.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 2,
 1870.

Foreign Office, August 2, 1870.

THE Ambassador of the North German Confederation in London has notified to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, by a note dated July 29, 1870, that orders have been given to take up the sea-marks, withdraw the light-ships, and extinguish the standing lights on the German coast of the Baltic.

Foreign Office, August 2, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. D. H. Batchelder as Consul at Londonderry for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John Makintosh as Vice-Consul at Inverness for the North German Confederation.

Downing Street, August 1, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain Charles Sturt, late of the 39th Regiment, and formerly Colonial Secretary of the Colony of South Australia, had been designated for the dignity of a Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, but the appointment was not proceeded with in consequence of his death.

Whitehall, July 30, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Johnston to the church and parish of Cummertrees, in the presbytery of Annan, and county of Dumfries, vacant by the death of the Reverend George Gillespie.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 29, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of rules relative to the transaction of shipping business in Her Britannic Majesty's Consulate in Japan, published by order of Her Majesty's Minister at Yedo.

*Her Britannic Majesty's Legation,
Yedo, May 2, 1870.*

I.—Entry of Ships.

MASTERS or Consignees are required to enter their vessels at the Custom House within forty-eight hours after arrival, and must deposit at the Consulate within that time the following documents:—

Certificate of Registry.

Articles of agreement of crew.

Apprentices indentures.

Port clearance.

Bills of lading (if required).

The receipt of the Consulate for these documents must be exhibited by the master or consignee on entering his vessel at the Custom House.

II.—Clearance of Ships.

Masters or consignees must give twenty-four hours notice at the Custom House and also at the

Consulate, of their wish to clear. On producing the Custom House clearance at the Consulate, the documents deposited there on the entry of the ship will be returned, and a new Consular port clearance will be granted in place of the one handed in on arrival.

III.—*Discharge of Seamen.*

No seaman can be discharged at any port in Japan, without the sanction of Her Majesty's Consul, and then, only on condition that he hands into the Consulate a guarantee, to be approved by the Consul, that he will not become an expense to Her Majesty's Government.

No sanction can be given to the discharge of a seaman without the mutual consent of the master and himself, save by the order of a competent court, or by expiration of agreement.

An account of wages, in the form sanctioned by the Board of Trade, should be made up on board and given to the seaman twenty-four hours before his discharge ; this account, a certificate of discharge, and the guarantee, must be brought to the Consulate at the time of discharge.

In the settlement of wages accounts, exchange for sterling money will, until further notice, be always computed at the rate of 4s. 6d. to the dollar.

IV.—*Engagement of Seamen.*

Masters of vessels engaging seamen, must come in person to hear the articles of agreement read out, see the men shipped.

To facilitate shipment, masters engaging men from shipping agents or elsewhere, should come to a clear understanding with the men as to the nature of the voyage, time of service, wages, &c., before they bring them to the Consulate to sign the agreement.

V.—*Leaving Seamen behind in Hospital.*

Sick seamen unable to proceed to sea in the vessels to which they belong will be taken charge of by the Consul on the day of the clearance of the vessel.

A form of discharge and the account of wages on Form C 12, in duplicate must be filled up and signed by the master ; and the balance of wages if any, due to such seaman must be paid into the Consulate.

A medical certificate stating the nature of the disease from which the seaman is suffering, with the words "Not in a fit state to proceed to sea," inserted therein, will also be required.

Should the seaman be an inmate of the Hospital, a receipt showing that his expenses up to the date of the clearance of the vessel, have been paid, must be produced.

VI.—*Leaving Seamen behind in Gaol.*

The account of wages of a seaman left behind in Gaol, together with a form of discharge must be filled up and signed by the Master ; and the balance of wages, if any, due to such seaman must be paid into the Consulate.

VII.—*Deceased Seamen.*

The account of wages on Form C 15, of a seaman who has died during the voyage or in port, provided the vessel is not bound to a port in the United Kingdom, must be filled up and signed by the master ; and the balance of wages, if any, due to such seaman must be paid into the Consulate.

Should the vessel be bound to the United Kingdom the seaman's wages can be accounted for at home ; but a note of this will be made by the

master in the Official Log Book, and by the Consul on the articles of Agreement.

VIII.—*Seamen's Effects.*

The effects of any seaman left behind in hospital or gaol from his vessel must be sent to either one or the other, as the case may be, and a receipt obtained for them, which must be produced at the Consulate.

If a vessel arrives in port having the effects of a deceased seaman on board, or if a seaman dies in port before the departure of his vessel, and such vessel is bound direct to the United Kingdom, the effects will be examined, and if it is found that they are of such a nature as not to deteriorate in value by being kept, they will be left on board for conveyance to the United Kingdom.

When it is found on examination that only a portion of the effects would deteriorate in value by being kept, only such portion will be sold, and the remainder will be forwarded to the United Kingdom as directed above.

IX.—*Seamen absent without leave and Deserters.*

When a seaman is absent without leave, the master should at once report his absence at the Consulate. Should he fail to do so within twenty-four hours, the seaman will not be treated as a deserter, unless special circumstances appear to the Consul to warrant it. Every such report will be entered by the Consul in the deserter's book, and notice of the desertion will at once be forwarded by him to the police authorities, in order that prompt steps may be taken for the apprehension of the man.

Masters of British ships are hereby reminded of the duty that devolves upon them to see that every desertion is entered in the official log book,

and endorsed on the articles of Agreement ; and they are further reminded that leaving behind a seaman or apprentice in any port out of Her Majesty's dominions where a British Consular Officer is stationed, without obtaining the sanction of such Officer, may be punished as a misdemeanour ; and that all expenses incurred in relieving a seaman or apprentice so left behind may be recovered from the master or owner of the ship concerned.

X.—*Harbour Regulations.*

The attention of shipmasters is drawn to the Harbour Regulations, which are exhibited at the Consulate Office.

XI.—*Forms.*

The necessary printed forms, referred to in the foregoing Rules, will be supplied on application at the Consulate.

XII.—*Office Hours.*

The Consulate will be open daily (Sundays and holidays excepted), from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. ; but it is desirable that the engaging and discharging of seamen should be transacted during the forenoon only.

(C. 970.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 1, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, information that the Prussian Government have prohibited the further exportation of oats from the port of Königsberg,

*War Office, Pall Mall,**2nd August, 1870.*

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Peter Aubertin, from 22nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. Brett, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

2nd Dragoons, Cornet Colin John Campbell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, by John Henry Raymond Rowe, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

5th Lancers, Cornet Gabriel Roland Ruscombe Poole to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alexander Macnamara, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Veterinary Surgeon William Black Edmonds, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Edward Stanley, who resigns. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Staff-Assistant-Surgeon George Nicol Irvine, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Alexander Stevenson Russell, M.D., deceased. Dated 12th July, 1870.

Royal Engineers, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Francis Tennant (late Bengal) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice T. G. Glover, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Second Captain David Ward (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Tennant. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Lieutenant Lewis Conway Gordon (late Bengal), on the Seconded List, to be Second Captain. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Lieutenant James Browne (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice Ward. Dated 1st July, 1870.

2nd Foot, Captain Robert Hill Ross, from half-pay, late 35th Foot, to be Captain, vice William Stevens, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Lieutenant William Charles Hood to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Hyatt Collings, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Ensign Andrew Charles Armstrong to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hood. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

3rd Foot, Captain and Brevet-Colonel Mark Walker, V.C., to be Major, without purchase, vice Dowson, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Lieutenant Arthur Charles Jackson, from 49th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice G. F. J. L. Russell, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

7th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Henry Maude to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. Smith, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 1st April, 1870.

13th Foot, Major Edward Kent Jones, from 14th Foot, to be Major, vice C. P. Long, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

14th Foot, Major Charles Poore Long, from 13th Foot, to be Major, vice E. K. Jones, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Lieutenant Richard Seymour Lemon to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet Major Alexander Strange, deceased. Dated 12th June, 1870.

Ensign William Adams Ridgeway to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Lemon. Dated 12th June, 1870.

22nd Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Brett, from 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice P.

Aubertin, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

The first Christian name of Ensign Lloyd is *Emlyn*, and not *Evelyn*, as previously stated.

28th Foot, Ensign Frederick Mogg to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Henry Gordon, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet George Waldron Lyttleton, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mogg. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

29th Foot, Lieutenant Edward James Henry Spratt to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Winn, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 22nd June, 1870.

43rd Foot, Ensign John S. Langlands to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Clifford Pease, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

48th Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Captain Alexander William McKenzie, from the late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain E. H. O'Dowd, transferred to 41st Foot. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

49th Foot, Lieutenant George Francis John Lewis Russell, from 3rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Jackson, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

56th Foot, Quartermaster Charles Valleyley Leech, from 57th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice J. Whittaker, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

57th Foot, Quartermaster Joseph Whittaker, from 56th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice C. V. Leech, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

65th Foot, Lieutenant John Lloyd Dickin to be Captain, by purchase, vice Frederick Gordon Thomson, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Ensign William Maitland Peagum Coleman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dickin. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Spencer Wheatley, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Coleman. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

75th Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Henry Beaumont, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Davis, deceased. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

87th Foot, Ensign Arthur Frederick Terry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Fuller Waring, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick Carpenter, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Terry. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, John Jebb Meynell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Tombs, promoted. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major Charles Sutherland Dowson, from 3rd Foot, to be Lieutenant - Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Thomas Arthur Mills, from 1st Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Army Service Corps, Riding Master John Barnett, from the Royal Artillery, to be Riding Master. Dated 7th June, 1870.

Military Store Department, Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores, John Fullarton Beatson has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas George Glover, retired full-pay, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Thomas M. Creagh, late of a Depot Battalion, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th July, 1870.

Captain William Corbett, retired full-pay, late Military Train, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 13th June, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Ezekiel Gage, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 7th March, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Clements Edward Money Walker, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th March, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Fullerton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 26th March, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lewis Edward Knight, late Cape Mounted Rifles. Dated 11th May, 1870.

Admiralty, 29th July, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Dr. George Mason, with seniority of 8th July, 1870.

Dr. Robert Irvine, with seniority of 13th July, 1870.

Admiralty, 30th July, 1870.

Retired Commanders :

John Hanbury Chads,
Henry Barnard Hankey,

having attained fifteen years' seniority, have been allowed to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 9th July, 1864. Commander Chads from the 26th January, 1870, Commander Hankey from the 26th April, 1870.

Admiralty, 1st August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 :—

Commander Alfred Prowse Hasler Helby has been this day placed on the Retired List.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nairn.

James Campbell John Brodie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Charles Augustus Piper to be Cornet. Dated 6th June, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

1st Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Thomas Marriott-Dodington to be Captain, vice Henley, promoted. Dated 27th July, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
North Riding of the County of York.*

North York Regiment of Militia.

Captain Thomas Light Elwon to be Major, vice
Coates, deceased. Dated 27th July, 1870.

Lieutenant John George Swan to be Captain, vice
Elwon, promoted. Dated 27th July, 1870.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 5,
1870.*

Foreign Office, August 5, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of
Mr. Pedro Augusto da Silva Carvalho as Consul
in British Guiana for His Majesty the King of
Portugal and the Algarves.

Whitehall, August 4, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent
under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to
appoint George Mellish, Esq., one of Her Majesty's
Counsel, to be a Judge of the Court of Appeal
in Chancery, in the room of Sir George Markham
Giffard, deceased.

Downing Street, August 4, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Joseph
Connell, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive
Council of the Island of Nevis.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint
Frederick Hoare, Esq., to be Receiver General
for the Island of Trinidad.

(C. 977.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of an Imperial Decree, dated 28th July last, increasing the duties on coffee, tea, and cocoa imported into France.

The following is a translation of the Articles of this Decree :—

ART. 1. Coffees, teas, and cocoas sent from abroad, other than those which shall to-day be *en route* for France, shall be liable, from the promulgation of the present Decree, to the following duties, décimes included :—

	Per 100 kil.
Coffees, from countries out of Europe ...	100 fr.
from bond	110
Teas, from India	100
from elsewhere	160
Cocoas, from countries out of Europe ...	50
from bond	60

ART. 2. Coffees, teas, and cocoas imported into France by French or foreign ships, whose departure from the places of production and destination for France shall be proved of a date anterior to the promulgation of the financial law of the 27th July, 1870, shall be liable only to the duties existing previous to the promulgation of the said law, on condition that they shall be declared for consumption on the arrival of the said ships, and whatever may be the time of their arrival in France.

ART. 3. Our Ministers of Agriculture, of Commerce, and of Finance are charged, each in that 1870.

which concerns him, with the execution of the present Decree, which will take effect from the day when it shall be published by the Prefects, in the manner prescribed by the Ordinance of the 18th January, 1817.

Dated St. Cloud, July 28, 1870.

(C. 980).

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, through Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Bogota, copy of a Law of the Colombian Congress by which Buenaventura and Tumaco are declared free ports for the period of twenty years.

(C. 985).

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 4, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice issued by the Pontifical Government, fixing the rates of postage, from the 1st instant, on letters, newspapers, printed papers, and samples of goods sent from the Pontifical States, viâ the North German Confederation, to Great Britain and the United States of America.

The following is a translation of the new Tariff:—

GREAT BRITAIN.

Letters:—

	} Franked	livre 0.60	
For every postage of		Not franked	„ 0.95
15 grammes only ...		Registered	„ 0.85

Newspapers, printed papers, and samples :—	} cent. 15
For every postage of 40 grammes only ...		

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Viâ OSTEND.

Letters :—	}	Franked	livre 0.80
For every postage of		Not franked	„ 1.25
15 grammes only ...		Registered	„ 1 05
Newspapers, printed pa-	}	... ..	cent. 20
pers, and samples :—			
For every postage of	}	... ..	cent. 20
40 grammes only ...			

Viâ HAMBURG.

Letters :—	}	Franked	livre 0.65
For every postage of		Not franked	„ 1.05
15 grammes only ...		Registered	„ 0.90
Newspapers, printed pa-	}	... ..	cent. 15
pers, and samples :—			
For every postage of	}	... ..	cent. 15
40 grammes only ...			

Admiralty, 4th August, 1870.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

The following named Gentlemen have been appointed Lieutenants in the Royal Marines :—

Arthur Rowband. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Clement William Hawkins. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Vere Alban Butler. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Charles William Ross Kitching. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Charles George Parlby Ward. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Admiralty, 4th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Reserved Captains have been placed on the list of Captains retired, under Orders in Council of 24th April, 1847, 25th June, 1851, and 26th July, 1867, from the dates stated against their names :—

Captain Robert Gregory Hoël Walsh, from the 13th July last.

Captain William Norton Taylor, from the 17th July last.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

Thomas John Buchanan, Esq., late 52nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Davis, resigned.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Cornet James Ramsay Gibson-Maitland in the Royal Midlothian Yeomanry Cavalry. Dated 20th July, 1870.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on letters transmitted by the post between the United Kingdom and Norway or Lagos.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 9,
1870.

War Office, August 9, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Edward Thornton, Esq., C.B., Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States of America, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Whitehall, August 5, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to ordain and declare that Charlotte Christiana Sturt, Widow of Captain Charles Sturt, late of the 39th Regiment, and formerly Colonial Secretary of the Colony of South Australia, shall have, hold, and enjoy the same style, title, place, and precedence to which she would have been entitled, had her said Husband survived and been appointed a Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, and had been invested with the Insignia of that dignity for which honour he had been designated, as notified in the London Gazette of the 2nd instant, but which appointment was not proceeded with in consequence of his death :

And to command that the said Royal Order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown Office, August 5, 1870.

The Earl of Strathmore and Kinghorn has been elected a Representative Peer for Scotland to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the present Parliament, in the room of George, Earl of Haddington, deceased.

(C. 996.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 8, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, announcing that an outbreak of epidemic cholera has occurred at Taganrog, and that vessels from the Sea of Azoff will be subjected to quarantine; also that a case of cholera has occurred at Constantinople in the person of a passenger arrived from Odessa.

War Office, Pall Mall,

9th August, 1870.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Frederick Meyer Wardrop to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Lloyd Egginton, who retires. Dated 10th August, 1870.

Roger Kennedy Parke, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Wardrop. Dated 10th August, 1870.

12th Lancers, Cornet George Mure Martin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ambrose Clement Wolseley Cox, who retires. Dated 10th August, 1870.

14th Hussars, Captain and Brevet-Major William Arbuthnot to be Major, by purchase, vice

Frederick Barclay Chapman, who retires.
Dated 10th August, 1870.

Lieutenant William Spencer Beaumont to be
Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Ar-
buthnot. Dated 10th August, 1870.

Cornet James Kentish to be Lieutenant, by pur-
chase, vice Beaumont, Dated 10th August,
1870.

Louis John Riley, Gent., to be Cornet, by pur-
chase, vice Kentish. Dated 10th August,
1870.

9th Foot, Captain Benjamin D'Urban Musgrave,
from half-pay late 48th Foot, to be Captain,
vice Francis William Henry Davies Butler,
who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 10th
August, 1870.

12th Foot, Captain George Turner, from half-
pay late 22nd Foot, to be Captain, vice
Edward Chinn, who retires upon temporary
half-pay. Dated 10th August, 1870.

17th Foot, Staff Surgeon Joseph Coleman Hornsby
Wright, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Thomas
Knox Birnie, who exchanges. Dated 19th
July, 1870.

21st Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Roche
Rahilly to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice James
Daniel Crowe, appointed to the Staff. Dated
19th July, 1870.

28th Foot, The appointment of Lieutenant George
Howard Moore-Lane as Instructor of Musketry,
to be antedated to 1st April, 1870.

33rd Foot, Staff Assistant - Surgeon Franklin
Gillespie, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice
John Joseph Ball, M.D., deceased. Dated
25th July, 1870.

44th Foot, Ensign William Gregory Wood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Henry Overton, who retires. Dated 10th August, 1870.

49th Foot, Lieutenant Edgar Lonsdale to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thomas Cowper Hincks, who retires. Dated 10th August, 1870.

Ensign Edward Albert Des Barres to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice E. Lonsdale. Dated 10th August, 1870.

57th Foot, Ensign Thomas John Phillipps has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 10th August, 1870.

109th Foot, Staff Surgeon-Major Robert Thornton to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon William Mackenzie Skues, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Rifle Brigade, Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Macartney, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Philip Patterson Lyons, M.B., appointed to the Staff. Dated 19th July, 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Serjeant-Major Samuel Fletcher to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Cole, promoted, Dated 10th August, 1870.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon Daniel John Doherty, having completed twenty years' full-pay service to be Staff Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 1st April, 1867. Dated 25th July, 1870.

Surgeon Thomas Knox Birnie, from 17th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice J. C. H. Wright, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 19th July, 1870.

Surgeon William Mackenzie Skues, M.D., from

the 109th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Robert Thornton, appointed to the 109th Foot. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Philip Patterson Lyons, M.B., from the Rifle Brigade, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Macartney, M.D., appointed to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 19th July, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon James Daniel Crowe, from the 21st Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Roche Rahilly, appointed to the 21st Foot. Dated 19th July, 1870.

Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class Alfred Job Owles, from the 6th Dragoons, to be Staff Veterinary-Surgeon, vice J. W. Gloag, who has retired upon half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Purveyors' Department, Purveyor George Hendy Pooley has been cashiered by sentence of a General Court Martial. Dated 22nd June, 1870.

Half-Pay, Captain Arthur Lloyd Monck, from 22nd Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain Hector Barlow Vaughan, from 20th Foot, to be Major, by purchase. Dated 10th August, 1870.

Lieutenant George Minchin Chadwick, from 9th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Campbell, 100th Foot, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 4th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 5th August, 1870.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

The following promotion and appointment has taken place in the Royal Marines :—

Captain Hamond Weston Gwyn to be Lieutenant-Colonel at the Plymouth Division, vice Pickard, to retired full-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1870.

Admiralty, 5th August, 1870.

Navigating Lieutenant Henry Rendle Harris has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 22nd July, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant Paymaster David Woodifield Wise has been placed on the Retired List from the above date.

Admiralty, 6th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the above date :—

Chief Engineer Thomas Davies.

Admiralty, 8th August, 1870.

The undermentioned Inspector of Machinery Afloat has been promoted to the rank of Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat, with seniority of the 6th instant :—

George Gregory Bardin, C.B.

The undermentioned Chief Engineer has been promoted to the rank of Inspector of Machinery Afloat, with seniority of the 6th instant :—

Lionel Swift.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Elgin.

James Campbell John Brodie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

Sir Arundell Neave, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

William Cross, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Charles Henry Mills to be Major, vice Newdigate, resigned. Dated 30th July, 1870.

William Gillett to be Cornet. Dated 30th July, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland Artillery Militia.

Preston Osborn Page to be Captain, vice Watson, removed. Dated 2nd August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Lewis G. Watson, who has absented himself without leave from the recent training being struck off the strength of the Northumberland Artillery Militia.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the title of the South Herts Yeomanry Cavalry being changed to that of the "Herts Yeomanry Cavalry."



FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 9,
1870.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS We are happily at peace with all Sovereigns, Powers, and States ;

And whereas, notwithstanding Our utmost exertions to preserve peace between all Sovereign Powers and States, a state of war unhappily exists between His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of

the French and His Majesty the King of Prussia, and between their respective subjects and others inhabiting within their countries, territories, or dominions ;

And whereas We are on terms of friendship and amicable intercourse with each of these Sovereigns, and with their several subjects, and others inhabiting within their countries, territories, or dominions ;

And whereas great numbers of Our loyal subjects reside and carry on commerce, and possess property and establishments, and enjoy various rights and privileges, within the dominions of each of the aforesaid Sovereigns, protected by the faith of Treaties between Us and each of the aforesaid Sovereigns ;

And whereas We, being desirous of preserving to Our subjects the blessings of peace, which they now happily enjoy, are firmly purposed and determined to abstain altogether from taking any part, directly or indirectly, in the war now unhappily existing between the said Sovereigns, their subjects and territories, and to remain at peace with, and to maintain a peaceful and friendly intercourse with each of them, and their respective subjects, and others inhabiting within any of their respective countries, territories, and dominions, and to maintain a strict and impartial neutrality in the said state of war unhappily existing between them ;

We, therefore, have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation.

And we do hereby strictly charge and command all Our loving subjects to govern themselves accordingly, and to observe a strict neutrality in and during the aforesaid war, and to abstain from violating or contravening either the laws and

statutes of the realm in this behalf, or the law of nations in relation thereto, as they will answer to the contrary at their peril.

And whereas in and by a certain Statute made and passed in the present year of Her Majesty, intituled “An Act to regulate the conduct of “Her Majesty’s subjects during the existence of “Hostilities between Foreign States with which “Her Majesty is at Peace,” it is, amongst other things, declared and enacted as follows :—

ILLEGAL ENLISTMENT.

“If any Person, without the License of Her Majesty, being a British Subject, within or without Her Majesty’s Dominions, accepts or agrees to accept any Commission or Engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with any Foreign State at Peace with Her Majesty, and in this Act referred to as a Friendly State, or, whether a British Subject or not, within Her Majesty’s Dominions, induces any other Person to accept or agree to accept any Commission or Engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any such Foreign State as aforesaid,—

“He shall be guilty of an Offence against this Act, and shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender is convicted; and Imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour.

“If any Person, without the License of Her Majesty, being a British Subject, quits or goes on board any Ship with a view of quitting Her Majesty’s Dominions, with intend to accept any Commission or Engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with a

Friendly State, or, whether a British Subject or not, within Her Majesty's Dominions, induces any other Person to quit or go on board any Ship with a view of quitting Her Majesty's Dominions with the like Intent,—

“ He shall be guilty of an Offence against this Act, and shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender is convicted ; and Imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour.

“ If any Person induces any other Person to quit Her Majesty's Dominions or to embark on any Ship within Her Majesty's Dominions under a Misrepresentation or false Representation of the Service in which such Person is to be engaged, with the Intent or in order that such Person may accept or agree to accept any Commission or Engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with a Friendly State,—

“ He shall be guilty of an Offence against this Act, and shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender is convicted ; and Imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour.

“ If the Master or Owner of any Ship, without the License of Her Majesty, knowingly either takes on board, or engages to take on board, or has on board such Ship within Her Majesty's Dominions any of the following Persons, in this

Act referred to as illegally enlisted Persons ; that is to say,

“(1.) Any Person who, being a British Subject within or without the Dominions of Her Majesty, has, without the License of Her Majesty, accepted or agreed to accept any Commission or Engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with any friendly State :

“(2.) Any Person, being a British Subject, who, without the License of Her Majesty, is about to quit Her Majesty's Dominions with intent to accept any Commission or Engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with a Friendly State :

“(3.) Any person who has been induced to embark under a misrepresentation or false representation of the service in which such person is to be engaged, with the intent or in order that such person may accept or agree to accept any Commission or engagement in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with a Friendly State :

“Such Master or Owner shall be guilty of an Offence against this Act, and the following consequences shall ensue ; that is to say,

“(1.) The Offender shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender is convicted : and imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour : and

“(2.) Such Ship shall be detained until the Trial and Conviction or Acquittal of the Master or Owner, and until all Penalties inflicted on the Master or Owner have been

paid, or the Master or Owner has given Security for the Payment of such Penalties to the satisfaction of Two Justices of the Peace, or other Magistrate or Magistrates having the Authority of Two Justices of the Peace : and

- “(3.) All illegally enlisted Persons shall immediately on the discovery of the offence be taken on Shore, and shall not be allowed to return to the Ship.

ILLEGAL SHIPBUILDING AND ILLEGAL EXPEDITIONS.

“If any Person within Her Majesty’s Dominions, without the Licence of Her Majesty, does any of the following Acts ; that is to say,—

- “(1.) Builds or agrees to build, or causes to be built any Ship with Intent or Knowledge, or having reasonable Cause to believe that the same shall or will be employed in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with any Friendly State : or
- “(2.) Issues or delivers any Commission for any Ship with Intent or Knowledge, or having reasonable Cause to believe that the same shall or will be employed in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with any Friendly State : or
- “(3.) Equips any Ship with Intent or Knowledge, or having reasonable cause to believe that the same shall or will be employed in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State of War with any Friendly State : or
- “(4.) Despatches, or causes or allows to be despatched, any Ship with intent or Knowledge, or having reasonable cause to believe

that the same shall or will be employed in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with any Friendly State :

“ Such Person shall be deemed to have committed an Offence against this Act, and the following consequences shall ensue :

“(1.) The Offender shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender is convicted ; and Imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour.

“(2.) The Ship in respect of which any such Offence is committed, and her Equipment, shall be forfeited to Her Majesty :

“ Provided, that a person building, causing to be built, or equipping a Ship in any of the cases aforesaid, in pursuance of a Contract made before the commencement of such War as aforesaid, shall not be liable to any of the Penalties imposed by this Section in respect of such building or equipping if he satisfies the conditions following (that is to say) :

“(1). If forthwith upon a Proclamation of Neutrality being issued by Her Majesty he gives Notice to the Secretary of State that he is so building, causing to be built, or equipping such ship, and furnishes such particulars of the contract and of any matters relating to, or done, or to be done under the contract as may be required by the Secretary of State :

“(2.) If he gives such Security, and takes and permits to be taken such other Measures, if any, as the Secretary of State may prescribe for ensuring that such Ship shall not

be despatched, delivered, or removed without the License of Her Majesty until the Termination of such War as aforesaid."

"Where any Ship is built by Order of or on behalf of any Foreign State when at War with a Friendly State, or is delivered to or to the Order of such Foreign State, or any Person who to the Knowledge of the Person building is an Agent of such Foreign State, or is paid for by such Foreign State or such Agent, and is employed in the Military or Naval Service of such Foreign State, such Ship shall, until the Contrary is proved, be deemed to have been built with a View to being so employed, and the Burden shall lie on the Builder of such Ship of proving that he did not know that the Ship was intended to be so employed in the Military or Naval Service of such Foreign State.

"If any Person within the Dominions of Her Majesty, and without the License of Her Majesty,—
 "By adding to the Number of the Guns, or by changing those on board for other Guns, or by the addition of any Equipment for War, increases or augments, or procures to be increased or augmented, or is knowingly concerned in increasing or augmenting the warlike Force of any Ship which at the Time of her being within the Dominions of Her Majesty was a Ship in the Military or Naval Service of any Foreign State at War with any Friendly State,—

"Such Person shall be guilty of an Offence against this Act, and shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender^s is convicted; and Imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour.

“If any Person within the Limits of Her Majesty’s Dominions, and without the License of Her Majesty,—

“Prepares or fits out any Naval or Military Expedition to proceed against the Dominions of any Friendly State, the following consequences shall ensue :

“(1.) Every Person engaged in such Preparation or fitting out, or assisting therein, or employed in any Capacity in such Expedition, shall be guilty of an Offence against this Act, and shall be punishable by Fine and Imprisonment, or either of such Punishments, at the Discretion of the Court before which the Offender is convicted ; and Imprisonment, if awarded, may be either with or without Hard Labour.

“(2.) All Ships, and their Equipments, and all Arms and Munitions of War, used in or forming part of such Expedition, shall be forfeited to Her Majesty.

“Any Person who aids, abets, counsels, or procures the Commission of any Offence against this Act shall be liable to be tried and punished as a principal Offender.”

And whereas by the said Act it is further provided that Ships built, commissioned, equipped, or despatched in Contravention of the said Act, may be condemned and forfeited by Judgment of the Court of Admiralty ; and that if the Secretary of State or Chief Executive Authority is satisfied that there is a reasonable and probable Cause for believing that a Ship within Her Majesty’s Dominions has been, or is being, built, commissioned, or equipped, contrary to the said Act, and is about to be taken beyond the Limits of such Dominions, or that a ship is

about to be despatched contrary to the Act, such Secretary of State, or Chief Executive Authority, shall have power to issue a Warrant authorising the Seizure and Search of such Ship, and her Detention until she has been either condemned or released by process of law : And whereas certain Powers of Seizure and Detention are conferred by the said Act on certain Local Authorities :

Now, in order that none of Our subjects may unwarily render themselves liable to the penalties imposed by the said statute, We do hereby strictly command that no person or persons whatsoever, do commit any act, matter, or thing whatsoever contrary to the provisions of the said statute, upon pain of the several penalties by the said statute imposed, and of Our high displeasure.

And We do hereby further warn and admonish all Our loving subjects, and all persons whatsoever entitled to our protection, to observe towards each of the aforesaid Sovereigns, their subjects and territories, and towards all belligerents whatsoever, with whom we are at peace, the duties of neutrality ; and to respect, in all and each of them, the exercise of those belligerent rights which We and Our Royal Predecessors have always claimed to exercise.

And We hereby further warn all Our loving subjects, and all persons whatsoever entitled to Our protection, that, if any of them shall presume, in contempt of this Our Royal Proclamation, and of Our high displeasure, to do any acts in derogation of their duty as subjects of a neutral Sovereign, in a war between other Sovereigns, or in violation or contravention of the law of nations in that behalf, as more especially by breaking, or endeavouring to break, any blockade lawfully and actually established by or on behalf of either of the said Sovereigns, or by carrying officers, soldiers,

despatches, arms, ammunition, military stores or materials, or any article or articles considered and deemed to be contraband of war, according to the law or modern usages of nations, for the use or service of either of the said Sovereigns, that all persons so offending, together with their ships and goods, will rightfully incur, and be justly liable to, hostile capture, and to the penalties denounced by the law of nations in that behalf.

And We do hereby give notice, that all Our subjects and persons entitled to Our protection who may misconduct themselves in the premises, will do so at their peril and of their own wrong; and that they will in no wise obtain any protection from Us against such capture or such penalties as aforesaid, but will, on the contrary, incur Our high displeasure by such misconduct.

Given at Our Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, this ninth day of *August*, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and in the thirty-fourth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 12,
1870.

Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech, delivered by the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Wednesday, August 10th, 1870.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE state of public business enables me to release you from your attendance in Parliament.

I continue to receive from all foreign powers assurances of good-will and friendship ; but I have witnessed with grief and pain, on domestic as well as public grounds, the recent outbreak of war between two powerful nations, both of them allied with this country.

My best exertions have been used to avert this great calamity.

I shall now direct a constant and anxious attention to the strict observance of the duties and the maintenance of the rights of neutrality.

I have cheerfully assented to the measure, matured by your wisdom, to enlarge the power of the Executive, not only for the discharge of international duties, but for the prevention of acts which, in time of war might be injurious to the interests of the country.

I shall make every fitting endeavour to check the operation of causes which might lead towards enlarging the area of the present conflict, and to contribute if opportunity shall be afforded me, to the restoration of an early and honourable peace.

I have tendered to the two belligerent powers treaties identical in form to give additional security to Belgium against the hazards of a war waged upon her frontiers. This treaty has been signed by Count Bernstorff, on the part of the North German Confederation, and the French Ambassador has signified that he has authority to sign the corresponding instrument as soon as his full powers arrive. Other powers which were parties to the Treaty of 1839, have been invited to accede, if they should think fit, to this engagement.

The shocking murders recently perpetrated in Greece produced a painful impression throughout Europe, and have drawn attention to serious evils

existing in that country. My unremitting efforts will be directed to securing the complete and searching character of the inquiry which has been instituted.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons.

I thank you for the liberal provision which was made by you for the ordinary service of the year, and for the additional supplies of men and money which you have voted in view of the altered state of things on the Continent of Europe.

The condition of the revenue gives ground for the hope that it may be able to meet the new charge which has been created without reversing the proper balance of income and expenditure.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

In regard to domestic legislation, I may fitly congratulate you on the close of the session, marked by an assiduous devotion to labours of the utmost national importance.

The temporary Act for the repression of agrarian crime and the maintenance of order in Ireland, has, up to the present time, answered the purposes for which it was passed.

From the Act for regulating the occupation and ownership of land I anticipate the gradual establishment both of harmonious relations between owners and occupiers of land, and of general confidence in the provisions and administration of the law, and in the just and benevolent intentions of the Legislature.

In consequence of the efforts which have been made in matters of capital moment, to remove from the Statute Book whatever might seem inequitable to Ireland, I trust that the discharge of the first duty of government in providing for the security

of life and property will become more easy ; and I shall rely with confidence upon the loyalty and affection of my Irish subjects.

It has given me pleasure to concur with you in the passage of the important law providing for national education in England. I perceive in it a new guarantee for the moral and social well-being of the nation, and for its prosperity and power.

The Naturalisation Act, and the Act for the Extradition of Criminals, will tend to confirm our friendly relations with foreign powers.

The Act which regulates enlistment for a shortened term of service in the ranks of the army will, I trust, tend to increase the efficiency of the force, to promote the welfare of the soldier, and to provide for the nation a reserve of men well trained to arms, and ready, in any case of emergency to return to the standards.

I bid you farewell for the recess, with the earnest prayer that, when you are again summoned to your duties, I may be enabled to rejoice with you in the re-establishment of peace on the Continent of Europe.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read ; after which the Lord Chancellor said :

My Lords and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name, and in obedience to Her commands, prorogue this Parliament to Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of October next, to be then here holden ; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of October next.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 9th day of *August*, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Sir William Heathcote, Baronet, and Lord Justice Sir George Mellish, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 9th day of *August*, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint W. Scott Coward, Esquire, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 9th day of *August*, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have represented to Her Majesty that the following decimal series of new avoirdupois grain weights have been recommended by the Commissioners appointed by Royal Warrant bearing date the fourth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight for inquiry into the condition of the Exchequer Standards (now called the Board of Trade Standards) of Length and Weight, and for other purposes, to be legalised as Secondary Standards, in pursuance of sections six and eight of the Standards

of Weights, Measures, and Coinage Act, 1866, and that such grain weights have been constructed, and have been duly verified in the Standards Department of the Board of Trade, their weight in relation to the Imperial standard pound having been accurately determined; viz.:—

Decimal grain weights—4000, 2000, 1000 grains.
 500, 300, 200, 100 ,,
 50, 30, 20, 10 ,,
 5, 3, 2, 1 ,,
 0·5, 0·3, 0·2, 0·1 ,,
 0·05, 0·03, 0·02, 0·01 ,,

Now, therefore, in pursuance of and by virtue of the said recited Act of Parliament, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby declared, that the said decimal avoirdupois grain weights shall be legal secondary standards of Imperial weight, from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Act.

Arthur Helps.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 9th day of *August*, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council:

WHEREAS the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have represented to Her Majesty that, in pursuance of section seventeen of the Coinage Act, 1870, the following new weights of each coin of the realm have been made and duly verified in the Standards Department of the Board of Trade, their weight in relation to the Imperial Standard pound, and their equivalent metric weight having been accurately determined, viz.:—

Denomination of Coin.	Standard Weight.		Least Current Weight.	
	Imperial Weight. Grains.	Metric Weight. Grams.	Imperial Weight. Grains.	Metric Weight. Grams.
Gold:—				
Five Pound ...	616·37239	39·94028	612·50000	39·68935
Two Pound ...	246·54895	15·97611	245·00000	15·87574
Sovereign ...	123·27447	7·98805	122·50000	7·93787
Half Sovereign ...	61·63723	3·99402	61 12500	3·96083
Silver:—				
Crown ...	436·36363	28·27590	—	—
Half Crown ...	218·18181	14·13795	—	—
Florin ...	174·54545	11·31036	—	—
Shilling ...	87·27272	5·65518	—	—

Sixpence ...	43·63636	2·82759	—
Groat or Fourpence	29·09090	1·88506	—
Threepence	21·81818	1·41379	—
Twopence	14·54545	0·94253	—
Penny ...	7·27272	0·47126	—
Bronze :—			
Penny ...	145·83333	9·44984	—
Halfpenny	87·50000	5·66990	—
Farthing	43·75000	2·83495	—

Now, therefore, in pursuance of, and by virtue of, the said recited Act of Parliament, and of the provisions contained in sections six and eight of the Standards of Weights, Measures, and Coinage Act, 1866, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby declared, that the said standard coin weights shall be legal secondary standards, and shall be the standard weights for determining the justness of the weight of, and for weighing, such coins of the realm, from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette, pursuant to the said Act.

Arthur Helps.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 9th day of *August*, 1870.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to sanction regulations for the admission of boys to Greenwich Hospital School.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
August 11, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on Monday and Tuesday next, the 15th and 16th instant.

Osborne, August 9, 1870.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :—

The Baron Gevers Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of the Netherlands, to deliver his Letter of Recall ; and

Señor Don Pedro Galvez, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Peru, to deliver his Credentials ;

To which audiences they were respectively introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl de Grey and Ripon, K.G., Lord President of the Council, acting for the Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Osborne, August 9, 1870.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on George Mellish, Esq., a Judge of the Court of Appeal in Chancery.

Osborne, August 9, 1870.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Daniel Adolphus Lange, Esq.

Whitehall, August 10, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Stanley, Viscount Monck, G.C.M.G.; the Right Honourable George Alexander Hamilton; and William Richard Le Fanu, Esq., Civil Engineer; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to inquire into, and report upon, the total amount of the sums received by "The Honourable Society of the King's Inns, Dublin," upon the admission of Attorneys and Solicitors as Deposits for Chambers, and in what manner the same or any part thereof has been applied and disposed of, and whether any and what portion of the amount remains unappropriated to the purposes for which it was received, and whether the Incorporated Society of Attorneys and Solicitors of Ireland are in possession of suitable buildings for the accommodation of that branch of the Profession of which they are the Governing Body.

(C. 1007.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 12, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following translation of a notice by the Danish Government, prohibiting the export of horses from Denmark:—

(Translation.)

PRELIMINARY LAW PROHIBITING THE EXPORT
OF HORSES.

WE, CHRISTIAN IX, King of Denmark, &c., &c., hereby make known:

That in consequence of the present state of things we have, with the advice of our ministers, and in conformity with § 25 of the Constitution,

decided to prohibit by a preliminary law the export and transit of horses.

We therefore order and enact as follows :—

From the close of this present month, and until further notice, all export, as well as transit, of horses from the Kingdom of Denmark to foreign countries is prohibited.

Infractions of this prohibition, and attempts to evade it, will be punishable for the principals concerned by confiscation of the horses in question, or by fines corresponding to their value ; but in no case less than 200 rdlr. (two hundred rixg dollars) for each horse, and a maximum sum of 50 rdlr. (fifty rixg dollars) for each accessory implicated.

All persons concerned shall comply with this law.

Given at our Palace of Fredensborg this
27th day of July, 1870.

Under our Royal hand and seal.

(Signed) CHRISTIAN, REX.
(L.S.)
FENGER.

War Office, Pall Mall,
12th August, 1870.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Officers have been appointed to the SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT SUB DEPARTMENT, from the 12th February, 1870, except where otherwise stated, such antedate not to carry pay prior to 12th August, 1870 :—

To be Commissaries.

(Relative Military Rank—Major).

Robert Clement Major, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1855.

Charles William Eichbaum, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Charles Swain, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 9th June, 1860.

Alexander Walter Turner, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st November, 1860.

Charles Foster, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 15th February, 1861.

George B. Bennett, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 15th June, 1861.

Edward Lander Ward, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st May, 1862.

Duncan Campbell Napier, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st July, 1862.

William Clare Ball, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st August, 1862.

David Standen, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 10th September, 1864.

Charles Barrett Knapp, from Principal Purveyor. Date of relative rank 24th December, 1860.

Gregson Bridgett, from Principal Purveyor. Date of relative rank 24th December, 1860.

James Holmes, from Principal Purveyor. Date of relative rank 14th June, 1869.

John L'Estrange L. Buchanan, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

George Whittaker Mellish, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

J. O. Hamley, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 9th March, 1866.

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G. G. Munro, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 16th May, 1868.
 John Isaac Lilley, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 2nd June, 1868.

William Green, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 19th August, 1868.

A. H. Young, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

J. R. Dombrain, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

H. P. Hunt, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

J. T. Downman, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1866.

To be Commissaries (Supernumerary, till absorbed, retaining the Pay and Privileges of the Rank they held under former Warrants).

James William Murray, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th October, 1864.

Robert Grey Donaldson Selby, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 15th March, 1865.

John Mainwaring Lindsey, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 12th June, 1865.

John Buckle Barlee, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st November, 1865.

Alexander Clerk, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st November, 1865.

Luke R. Castray, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st September, 1866.

Arthur Stuart Baynes, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st September, 1866.

Henry Clutterbuck Lewis, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1867.

Robert Handley Dundee, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st July, 1867.

Croker Lovell Baker Pennell, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1868.

Alfred Robert Thompson, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st August, 1868.

Francis Charles Blunt, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st August, 1868.

Alfred Ernest Petrie, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 9th September, 1868.

Charles Davis O'Connor, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st October, 1868.

George Hutchison Phillips, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1869.

William Henry Newland, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 7th January, 1869.

Robert Dalrymple Ross, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st February, 1869.

Foster Shortt, from Assistant Commissary-

General. Date of relative rank 1st February, 1869.

To be Deputy Commissaries.

(Relative Military Rank—Captain.)

George Home Telfer, from Deputy - Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 2nd January, 1856.

Thomas Sutton Marshall, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Edward Charles Saunder, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Frederick Casolani, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

John F. Manning, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Sidney Reynett Brown, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Paul George Frederick Furse, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary - General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Thomas Butterworth Prissick, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary - General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Wellesley Gordon Walker Robinson, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary - General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Henry John Wild, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Francis Innis, from Deputy - Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Robert Stanes, from Deputy - Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

John Philip Wilkinson, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Robert Edward Hunter, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Richard Stephenson Price, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Ashley Cowper Ryland, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Henry William Hackman, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

John Draper, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

John Leslie Robertson, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

John Henry Randall, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Robert Lee Matthews, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Thomas Augustus Le Mesurier, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Henry Boucher Arthur Middleton, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary - General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

William Roger Snow, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

- Edwin Dunn, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.
- Charles Walter Penrose, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.
- Nathaniel Taylor, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.
- Joseph Frederick Wallett Des Barres, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 4th July, 1860.
- William Fryer, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 4th July, 1860.
- John Bates Marston, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st November, 1861.
- John Tremenhere Johnston, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 18th January, 1862.
- Alexander Williams Anderson, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st February, 1862.
- Jonathan William Elmes, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary - General. Date of relative rank 16th February, 1862.
- Henry Spencer Edward Reeves, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1862.
- William Bridgman, from Deputy - Assistant Commissary - General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1862.
- Henry Heyhoe Mercer, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1862.
- Charles E. Wrench, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 19th November, 1858.

- John Macfarlane, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 16th January, 1860.
- John Thomson, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 4th February, 1862.
- Charles Henry Toller, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1867.
- John Smith Ravenhill, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 18th January, 1868.
- Voltaire White, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 1st November, 1869.
- Oswald Frederick Beale, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Stephen Walter Rains, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Blair Abbott, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- William Jones Birnie, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- George Johnston, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Robert Cattley Baker, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Saunders Adamson, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- John Kent Johnston, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- James Alexander Scott, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- William Macken, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- William Thomas Cowley Wilton, from Deputy Purveyor. Dated 23rd June, 1870. Date of relative rank 23rd June, 1870.
- George Ignatius Pirkis, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 11th February, 1861.
- Henry Horatio Rathbone Hewitt, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 11th February, 1861.

- D. Gibbons, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 5th July, 1861.
- H. A. Russell, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 13th August, 1862.
- A. S. Beswick, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1863.
- J. Moore, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1863.
- E. K. Dwyer, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 5th December, 1863.
- W. F. Wright, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 5th December, 1863.
- Henry Fane Travers, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st February, 1865.
- Newcome Richard Raven, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 13th February, 1865.
- Mansell Octavius Miller, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st March, 1865.
- John Bodychan Sparrow, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 3rd August, 1865.
- M. J. Ingram, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 4th September, 1866.
- Charles Hale Rumbold, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 18th May, 1867.
- J. C. Angell, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 2nd July, 1867.
- Charles Ralph, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 2nd July, 1867.

J. P. Serrurier, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 3rd July, 1867.

Henry Blakeney, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 24th September, 1867.

C. W. Elphinstone-Holloway, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1867.

Robert Mead, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 16th May, 1868.

Gerald Edward March, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 2nd June, 1868.

J. F. Edwards, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1868.

Henry Sedley Rice Bagenal, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st September, 1869.

Henry Smith, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st September, 1869.

Samuel Ormsby Rogers, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

W. Peel, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

T. Sparkes, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

George Augustus Brunett, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

G. C. Murray, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

J. Elliott, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Sydney Lancey Davies Smith, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

C. C. Relph, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

W. D. Le Geyt, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Alfred Keen, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

A. Montanaro, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Francisco Candido P. Silveira, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

E. J. Otway, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1866.

W. Fuller, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1866.

To be Deputy Commissaries (Supernumerary, till absorbed, retaining the Pay and Privileges of the Rank they held under former Warrants).

Cecil Francis Leach, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st June, 1862.

Francis Hugh Armstrong, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st June, 1862.

Francis Gordon Archer, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st June, 1862.

William Henry Ravenscroft, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st August, 1862.

Robert Squarey, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st August, 1862.

Thomas Sadlier Brereton, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1863.

John Igglesden Troup, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1863.

Edward Thomas Price, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 23rd November, 1863.

William John Jortin Warneford, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1864.

Basil Porter, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st July, 1864.

John Foster Fuller, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 5th July, 1864.

Clifford Elliot Walton, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st October, 1864.

Amelius Hughes, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st October, 1864.

Archibald Robinson Gibbs, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1864.

Albert Meyer, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1864.

George John Parkyn, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1864.

William Thomas Evans, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1865.

- Crofton James Uniacke, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 4th April, 1865.
- Thomas Storrar Smith, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 24th May, 1865.
- George Lyddon Morley, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 30th June, 1865.
- Francis William Brathwaite Gattey, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 15th August, 1865.
- William Beamish, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 21st February, 1866.
- Sydney George Granville, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 8th March, 1866.
- Neill Roger, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 9th March, 1866.
- Edward Wilmot Williams, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 4th June, 1866.
- Francis John Gilbert Cook, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 29th September, 1866.
- Frederick Henry Bridgman, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 21st November, 1866.
- Charles W. B. McKenzie, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 22nd November, 1866.
- John Blurton, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 6th March 1867.
- Mark William Rooksby Rushton, from Deputy

- Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 29th April, 1867.
- James Tierney Skinner, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 8th June, 1867.
- Walter Henry Christie, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 10th June, 1867.
- Frederick Bazett Doveton, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 23rd August, 1867.
- George Beresford Deare, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 25th August, 1867.
- Henry Ferrars Huntley, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 16th January, 1868.
- Thomas Brown Stewart, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 24th January, 1868.
- James Alleyne Clarke, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 10th February, 1868.
- George Coates, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 7th March, 1868.
- Henry Longfield Ricard, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 16th March, 1868.
- Edward T. Christie, from Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 24th October, 1868.
- D. R. Ross, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1866.
- W. B. Park, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank, 1st April, 1866.
- R. S. B. Leéch, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 20th October, 1866.

G. V. Lambe, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 4th December, 1866.

W. H. Hawtayne, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 28th December, 1866.

William FitzJohn Le Poer Trench, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 22nd January, 1867.

F. FitzWilliam Goddard, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 9th March, 1867.

F. G. Frith, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 26th July, 1867.

G. F. Coryton, from Barrackmaster. Date of relative rank 27th July, 1867.

To be Assistant Commissaries.

(Relative Military Rank—Lieutenant.)

William Richard Taylor, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1862.

Edward Godrich, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 29th July, 1862.

James Johnston, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 21st November, 1862.

Frederick William Page, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 1st March, 1864.

Arthur Bull, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 5th April, 1864.

John Davis Thwaites, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 1st December, 1867.

John Smith Young, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 15th August, 1868.

Marlow Sidney John Wollett, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 15th August, 1868.

William Monk, from Deputy Purveyor. Date of relative rank 18th December, 1868.

G. Richards from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

- H. Malcouronne from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Thomas Gilligan from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- James Dungey, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- W. B. Edridge, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- William Robertson, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- John Spencely from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Charles Frederick Flower Woods, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- John Oakshott Spriggs, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Charles Edward Bruce, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- William Burke, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- Edward Love, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.
- W. G. Boyes, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 7th December, 1858.
- J. Oxley, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Augustus Hillier, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Richard Henry Chase, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- W. D. Bennett, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

- Henry Taylor, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- James Mason, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- W. H. Chambers, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- G. M. Thorn, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- G. E. Lane, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- R. Walsh, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- M. J. P. Knight, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- E. Nicoll, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- E. Gatt, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- T. Pease, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- John Browne, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- T. J. Rawnsley, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- J. H. Pearson, from Deputy Assistant Superin-

- tendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- W. S. Haldane, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- George Arber, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Dodsworth Jeffreys, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- J. C. Freeburn, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Dominick O'Loughlen MacDermott, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Walter Booth, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- William Joseph Baker, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- T. G. Stack, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- H. P. Moors, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- P. J. C. Flynn, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- J. R. Herapath, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- J. M. Deegan, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

- F. S. S. Fead, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Henry Morgan, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Robert Pearce Olpherts, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- John Stratton, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- J. A. Bristow, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- James Cragg Kellman, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- William Cleather Gordon, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Richard Iago, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- H. J. Mills, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Francis Edward Thompson, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- G. T. Pett, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- W. R. Mayo, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- W. H. Howell, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

- R. Nicholls, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Frederick Pridham, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- H. M. Dunstan, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- G. A. Jolly, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- J. E. Taylor, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.
- Augustus Bresson Calvert, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 3rd April, 1867.
- Charles E. Vansittart, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 3rd April, 1867.
- Charles S. Buchanan, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 3rd April, 1867.
- Lionel Frederick Graham, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 3rd April, 1867.
- Charles Day Durnford, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 28th June, 1867.
- Colin G. L. Campbell, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 28th June, 1867.
- H. N. St. George, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 31st July, 1867.
- Arthur Walter Bridgman, from Deputy As-

sistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 31st July, 1867.

Robert Finlay King, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 31st July, 1867.

Edmund Grey Skinner, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 31st July, 1867.

Henry James Ferris, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 21st August, 1867.

Arthur Lindsay McIlwaine, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 21st August, 1867.

The undermentioned Officers and Gentlemen have been appointed to the PAY SUB DEPARTMENT, from the 12th February, 1870, such antedate not to carry pay prior to 12th August, 1870 :—

To be Paymasters.

(Relative Military Rank—Major.)

James Knight Goold, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1855.

Robert Henry Smith, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 26th May, 1860.

Edward Archibald Ibbetson, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 14th June, 1860.

Theodore Ernest McClintock, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 18th October, 1860.

James McInnes Green, from Principal Purveyor. Date of relative rank 16th July, 1861.

Charles John Minney, from Principal Purveyor. Date of relative rank 16th July, 1861.

George Rennie, from Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 17th June, 1864.

George Carmino Holden, from Deputy Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st September, 1869.

W. R. Jenney, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

J. D. Harry, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

To be Deputy Paymasters.

(Relative Military Rank—Captain.)

W. Peel, from Barrack Master of the Second Class. Date of relative rank 8th April, 1859.

Augustus Morton Festing, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Edward Cattell, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Charles D'Oyley Forbes, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Edward Frederick George Greenwood, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Edward Courtney, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

William Oakley Chislett, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

Alexander Ewing, from Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Date of relative rank 11th November, 1859.

George W. Rippon, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 20th December, 1859.

Alfred Pope, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 4th February, 1862.

Thomas Warsop Cooper, from Purveyor. Date of relative rank 28th July, 1863.

John J. Lake, from Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 24th September, 1868.

G. Wilgress, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

R. Wolfe, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

E. V. Raynes, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

T. Timbrell, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

William Marvin, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

B. S. Pearson, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

James A. B. O'Brien, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Herbert Hamilton Routledge, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

To be Assistant Paymasters.

(Relative Military Rank—Lieutenant).

J. A. Collins, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

J. White, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

Henry Potter, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

J. G. Elliott, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

W. Dalton, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

Edward George Pellew Mayers, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Charles Webb, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 1st April, 1861.

Joseph Muskett, from Deputy-Purveyor. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1862.

Robert du Port, from Deputy-Purveyor. Date of relative rank 1st March, 1864.

John Thomas Westropp, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Clement Bayly Griffith, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Edmond Howard Gorges, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

George Hamilton Anson, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Augustus Finch Noyes, from Quartermaster-General's Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

William Briggs, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 30th January, 1866.

William Blenkin Davis, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 30th January, 1866.

Frederic Treffry, from War Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

John Johnson Tuck, from Commander-in-Chief's Office. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Richard F. Blackmore, from Deputy-Purveyor. Date of relative rank 19th October, 1866.

Thomas William Drage, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 28th June, 1867.

George Charles Dawson Bampfield, from Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 21st August, 1867.

Michael Coen, Deputy Assistant Superintendent of Stores. Date of relative rank 21st August, 1867.

Thomas William Bacon, from Quartermaster, Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 15th February, 1868.

A. L. McDonald, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Joseph John Morris, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

A. H. H. MacGachien, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

William Robert Kaye, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Joseph Forrest, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Paul Dennis Costa, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Edmund John Lawless, from Assistant Purveyor. Date of relative rank 12th February, 1870.

Admiralty, 9th August, 1870.

The following promotions have this day been made :—

Commanders :

William Henry Annesley,
Elibank Harley Murray,
to be Captains.

Lieutenants :

Edmund Marmaduke Dayrell,
Rodney Maclaine Lloyd,
to be Commanders.

Lieutenant Lloyd has been specially promoted
for services in repression of piracy in
the China Seas.

Sub-Lieutenants :

Jelinger Edward Symons,
Allan Robert Woodriff,
Frederick John Grieve,
Edward Rothwell Wheelock Noble,
Francis William Cobb,
to be Lieutenants.

Admiralty, 10th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank :—

Paymaster Alfred Boys, from the 5th instant.

Assistant Paymasters :

Frederick Hyndman,
John Edward Cooke,
from the date hereof.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Durham.*

The Reverend Edmund Hector Shipperdson to be
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

Oliver Ormerod Walker, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

John Tomlinson Hibbert, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Thomas Ashton, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

John Fell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

John Hick, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

*3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own
Militia.*

John Endeswick Butler Bowdon, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Ayr.*

Ayrshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Arthur William Ball to be Cornet, vice Cunningham, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1870.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE
*LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 12,
1870.*

Foreign Office, August 15, 1870.

BLOCKADE OF NORTH GERMAN
PORTS.

IT is hereby notified that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Prin-

Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received a communication from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Berlin, that the Admiral of the French Fleet off Heligoland has requested the Governor of Heligoland to notify through Her Majesty's Consular Agents in Hamburgh, Cuxhaven, and Bremershaven, the Blockade of the rivers Eider, Elbe, Weser, and Jader, to take effect in ten days from the 15th instant, and that up to such time neutral vessels may enter or depart.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 16,
1870.

Foreign Office, August 1, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Power Henry Le Poer Trench, Audley Charles Gosling, Esq., Henry Nevill Dering, Esq., Edwin Henry Egerton, Esq., and the Honourable William Augustus Curzon Barrington, now Third Secretaries, to be Second Secretaries in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, August 13, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Jos. Strangmann as Vice Consul at Waterford for the North German Confederation.

Crown Office, August 16, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Plymouth.

Sir Robert Porrett Collier, of No. 104, Eaton place, London, Knt.

Whitehall, August 9, 1870.

The Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the decease of Harriet, Baroness Windsor, the title and dignity of Baron Windsor devolved upon her grandson and heir Robert George, now Baron Windsor (a minor), as the only son and heir of Robert Windsor-Clive, commonly called the Honourable Robert Windsor-Clive, who was whilst living the eldest son and heir apparent of the said Harriet, Baroness Windsor, and that according to the ordinary rules of honor the sisters of the said Robert George, now Baron Windsor, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them had their said late father survived his mother the said Harriet, Baroness Windsor, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Windsor, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Georgina Harriet Charlotte Windsor-Clive, Henrietta Lucy Windsor-Clive, and Mary Agnes Windsor-Clive, Spinsters, the sisters of the said Robert George, now Baron Windsor, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if their said late father had survived his mother the said Harriet, Baroness Windsor, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Baron Windsor.

The Queen has also been pleased to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1013.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 15, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

a copy of a French Customs Circular relating to the new duties imposed on Tea, Coffee, and Cocoa, by the Imperial Decree of the 28th July last. From this document it appears that the Articles referred to may be entered for home consumption at the old and lower duties at any time before the 1st September next, if in the warehouse before the 30th July, and at any time as regards goods on the way to France before that date, if so entered on arrival. No distinction is made between French Colonial and other extra-European products, and nothing in the new duties is to affect the stipulations of Treaties with Foreign Powers, British and others.

War Office, Pall Mall,

16th August, 1870.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant Walter Henry Octavius Duncombe to be Captain, by purchase, vice Alfred Charles Duncombe, who retires. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant Sir Simon Macdonald Lockhart, Bart., to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice W. H. O. Duncombe. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Royal Horse Guards, Cornet Henry Aubrey Coventry, from the 10th Hussars, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dudley Francis, Earl of Guilford, promoted. Dated 17th August, 1870.

1st Dragoon Guards, Paul Dane O'Brien, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Le Patourel, promoted. Dated 17th August, 1870.

4th Hussars, Captain Henry Thomas Butler to be Major, by purchase, vice Frederick George, Lord Howard de Walden, who retires. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Lieutenant Thomas Henry Porker to be Captain, by purchase, vice Butler. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Cornet Charles Edward Pennefather to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Porker. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Robert Chateauneuf Tuthill, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Pennefather. Dated 17th August, 1870.

9th Lancers, Veterinary-Surgeon Edwin Thomas Cheesman, from Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class William C. Lord, who retires on half-pay. Dated 17th August, 1870.

10th Hussars, Captain the Honourable Caryl Craven Molyneux, to be Major, by purchase, vice John Fife, who retires. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Lieutenant Thomas Astell St. Quintin to be Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable C. C. Molyneux. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Cornet Edward Hartopp to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice St. Quintin. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Captain William James Bradford (late Madras) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel J. H. Elwyn, retired upon full pay. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Second Captain Francis Henry Thompson (late Madras) to be Captain, vice W. J. Bradford. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Lieutenant William Richard Charles Brough (late Madras) to be Second Captain, vice F. H. Thompson. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Lieutenant D'Arcy Bowman East has been superseded, being absent without leave. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain David Maitland Makgill Crichton to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain E. G. H., Viscount Hinchbrook, promoted. Dated 17th August, 1870.

7th Foot, Captain Francis Hibbert, from half-pay late 24th Foot, to be Captain, vice Alexander Nixon Montgomery, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 17th August, 1870.

13th Foot, Ensign Thomas Barry George to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Edward Stanley Lec, who retires. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Francis James Justice, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice T. B. George. Dated 17th August, 1870.

4th Foot, Lieutenant Gerard Van Heythuysen to be Instructor of Musketry, vice H. A. Williams, exchanged to 1st Battalion. Dated 1st August, 1870.

6th Foot, Lieutenant George Mainwaring to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. E. Orange, appointed Adjutant. Dated 19th July, 1870.

2nd Foot, Captain Edward John Butler, from 21st Foot, to be Captain, vice Arthur Lloyd Monck, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 17th August, 1870.

24th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Carrington to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant F. Hibbert, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 17th August, 1870.

3rd Foot, Captain William Grogan Graves to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel F. Miller, promoted half-pay

Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th August 1870.

66th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Aloysius Joseph O'Brien, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon vice James McCrevey, M.D., deceased. Dated 26th July, 1870.

67th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Frederick Heisch Dunbar, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon vice Austin Bruen, deceased. Dated 25th July, 1870.

86th Foot, Ensign Josiah Webbe Goldsworthy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Henry Seed, who retires. Dated 17th August, 1870.

105th Foot, The appointment on probation to the Indian Staff Corps of Lieutenants L. G. Hay and F. G. Maltby having been cancelled, the promotion of Ensigns C. G. Mansell and C. S. S. Whitehill, on 23rd February, 1870, and of Ensign W. D. Graham, on the 20th ultimo, are cancelled.

Ensign Charles Grenville Mansel to be Lieutenant, vice Power, who has retired. Dated 20th July, 1870.

The appointment of Ensign E. G. Reilly to take place in succession to Ensign Beagin, promoted instead of vice Whitehill, promoted.

108th Foot, Ensign Bowes Thorpe Montagu Gompertz to be Lieutenant, vice Vincent Lewis Mathias, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd June, 1870.

109th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Tabuteau Mayne has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 27th May 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel James Maxwell, from half-pay, late 34th Foot

to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Gustavus Nigel Kingscote A. Yonge, who retires on half-pay. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Control Department, Serjeant-Major James Lees, from 14th Foot, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Choplains' Department, Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend Edward Hillman, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 11th July, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Miller, from 63rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain William Parker Terry, from the 9th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain Edward D'Heillimer Fairtlough, from the 14th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain William Tyler Stuart, from the 17th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain Thomas Law Roberts, from the 99th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Harvey Elwyn, retired full-pay Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 4th July, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel James Pickard, of the Royal Marine Light Infantry, having been placed on the Retired List under the provisions of the Order in Council of 22nd 1870.

February, 1870, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert Hughes, retired full-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 12th August, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Patrick Robertson-Ross, half-pay late Depot Battalion, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 2nd June, 1870.

Captain Villars Butler, 65th Foot, to be Major. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Edward Menzies, who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 5th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the above date :—

Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat Walter Wilson Williamson.

Admiralty, 11th August, 1870.

The undermentioned Navigating Sub Lieutenants have this day been promoted to the rank of Navigating Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 9th August, 1870 :—

Pownal Aplin.

James Ernest Barber.

Arthur Gore St. George Ponsonby.

Walter William Browne.
 Francis Ingram Palmer.
 Edmund Nankivell.
 Joseph Freeman Atkinson.
 George Alexander Broad.
 Edwin John Thomas Behenna.
 Charles Brent.
 George Staunton Brodie.
 Nathaniel Child.
 Edgar Crow Baker.

Admiralty, 12th August, 1870.

The undermentioned Assistant Paymasters have been promoted to be Paymasters in Her Majesty's Fleet, from the 9th instant :—

Assistant Paymasters :

William Keating Horne.
 Henry Patrick Brenan.
 Frank Pittman.
 Alexander William Brett.
 Henry Courtis Medder.
 Robert Meadows Colwell.
 Frederick North.
 Matthew Beattie Grandy.
 Barclay Corrie.
 Edward Henry Whyte.

The undermentioned Officers have been promoted to the ranks stated against their names, from the above date :—

Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat William Eames.
 Inspector of Machinery Afloat Richard Sampson.

Admiralty, 13th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Charles Frederick Gulliver has been placed on the Retired List, from the 9th instant.

Admiralty, 15th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Charles Crowdy has been placed on the Retired List from the 11th instant, and has been granted the rank of Retired Commander from that date.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carnarvon.

Royal Carnarvon Rifle Militia.

Lieutenant David Glynn Griffith to be Captain, vice Kneeshaw, resigned. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Militia.

J. T. Harris Yates, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Bigg Wilter, resigned. Dated 11th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

3rd King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

William Robert Parker Jervis, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th July, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Sussex.*

*Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex
Militia.*

James M. Carr Lloyd, Gent., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 8th August, 1870.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 16,
1870.*

Foreign Office, August 18, 1870.

**FRENCH NOTIFICATION OF BLOCKADE
OF GERMAN PORTS IN THE NORTH
SEA.**

IT is hereby notified that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received, from Her Majesty's Ambassador in Paris, a copy of the Official Notification of the Blockade of the Coast of Prussia and the German States in the North Sea, issued by Vice-Admiral Fourichon, Commanding-in-Chief the French Fleet, stationed off that coast, which declares as follows:—

“That from the fifteenth of August, 1870,
the coast of Prussia and the North German
Confederation, extending from the Island of
Baltrum to the north of the Eider, with its ports,

“ rivers, havens, roads, and creeks, is kept in a
 “ state of effective blockade by the naval forces
 “ under Our command, and that friendly or
 “ neutral vessels will be allowed a delay of ten
 “ days to complete their lading and to quit the
 “ blockaded ports.

“ The geographical limits of the blockade
 “ are :—

“ The meridian of 5° (five degrees) of East
 “ Longitude of Paris, as far as the Parallel of
 “ $54^{\circ} 5'$ (fifty-four degrees five minutes) of
 “ North Latitude.

“ The parallel as far as the longitude of $5^{\circ} 45'$
 “ (five degrees forty-five minutes) of Paris.

“ Thence the meridian of $5^{\circ} 45'$ (five degrees
 “ forty-five minutes) as far as the parallel of
 “ $54^{\circ} 20'$ (fifty-four degrees twenty minutes) of
 “ latitude.

“ And finally, this last parallel to the coast.

“ Every vessel that shall attempt to violate the
 “ said blockade shall be proceeded against in con-
 “ formity with the Law of Nations and the
 “ Treaties in force with neutral Powers.

“ On board the “Magnanime” iron-plated
 “ frigate of the Emperor of the French, stationed
 “ between the British Island of Heligoland and
 “ the Prussian coast.

“ 12th August, 1870.

“ FOURICHON,

“ Vice-Admiral and Commanding-
 “ in-Chief.”

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 19,
 1870.

Windsor Castle, August 17, 1870.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Kighthood on Edward Smirke, Esq., Vice-Warden of the Stannaries.

Foreign Office, August 3, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Patrick James Craigie Robertson, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Bussorah.

Foreign Office, August 18, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Joaquin M. de Satrustegui as Consul-General for Spain for the British Possessions in North America, to reside at Montreal.

Whitehall, August 17, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Hunter Thoms, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shires of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland, as constituted by an Act of the 33rd and 34th years of Her Majesty's reign.

War Office, Pall Mall,

19th August, 1870.

Control Department, F. C. Bennett, Gent., to be Assistant Commissary in the African Branch. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Chaplains' Department, Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend E. L. Walsh, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 5th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 18th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired Lists of their respective ranks : —

Paymaster Henry John Kelly, from the 12th instant.

Assistant Paymasters :

James R. Richards,
Robert J. B. Smart,
Robert F. Smyth,
from this date.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own
Militia.*

John James Harris, Gent., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 27th July, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

*3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry
Regiment of Middlesex Militia.*

Charles John Stone to be Lieutenant. Dated
14th July, 1870.

Frank Seago to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th
July, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Suffolk.*

West Suffolk Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Edward Walter Greene to be Lieutenant.
Dated 5th August, 1870.

Ulick John Burke, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated
5th August, 1870.

Robert Macnab, M.D., F.R.C.S.E., to be Surgeon.
Dated 5th August, 1870.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 23,
1870.

India Office, August 19, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint M. Ferdinand Lesseps to be an Honorary Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

Downing Street, August 19, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to nominate Sir Henry Barkly, K.C.B. (now Governor of the Colony of Mauritius), to be appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope and its Dependencies.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint William Cleaver Francis Robinson, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Governor of Prince Edward Island.

Crown Office, August 22, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

City of Dublin.

Sir Dominic J. Corrigan, Bart., in the room of Sir Arthur Edward Guinness, Bart., whose election has been determined to be void.

Board of Trade, (Harbour Department),

Whitehall Gardens, S.W., August 22, 1870.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copy of a Despatch from Lieutenant-Colonel Stokes, R.E., the British Representative on the European Commission of the Danube, forwarding a statement of the receipt and expenditure of the European Commission of the Danube during the year 1869, a copy of which is subjoined :—

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION
OF THE DANUBE DURING THE YEAR 1869.

FIRST PART.—ORDINARY BUDGET.

RECEIPTS.

	frs.	cts.
Produce of Navigation Dues levied at Sulina in 1869 ...	1,540,323	75
Amount received from London Loan ...	125,000	00
Miscellaneous receipts, such as produce of sale of materials not made use of, interest on funds deposited in current account, gain on exchange, &c.	21,744	02
Interests received on the special funds :—		
(a). On the funds for the repayment of the 10 per cent. loan ...	13,981	69
(b). On the funds for the completion of the works ...	11,025	00
Total Receipts ...	1,712,074	46

TITLE. I.—ADMINISTRATION.

Chap. 1.—*Internal Administration.*

		frs.	cts.
At Galatz	...	76,114	81
At Toultscha	...	3,866	12
At Sulina	...	18,069	61
Expenses common to these three sections	...	11,095	32

Chap. 2.—*Police and Navigation Establishments.*

General Inspection of the navigation	...	77,979	07
Captain of the Port of Sulina	...	39,255	31
Navigation Cash Office	...	34,258	18
Seaman's Hospital	...	27,220	99
Total Expenditure on Administration	...	287,859	41

(For details see below.)

TITLE II.—TECHNICAL SERVICE AND WORKS.

			frs.	cts.
Chap. 1.—Engineering Staff	...	...	76,117	00
Chap. 2.—Surveys	...	...	9,139	85
Chap. 3.—Workshops, &c., at Sulina	...	...	14,457	46
Chap. 4.—Maintenance of the works at the mouth	...	...	56,114	11
Chap. 5.—Dredging plant	...	...	87,956	10
Chap. 6.—Miscellaneous works : —				
Bollards and mooring posts...	...	...	10,866	62
Ordinary buoy service	...	...	10,000	00
Raising wrecks	...	...	19,723	01
Levelling ballast heaps	...	...	27,104	52
Repairs and alterations in the houses at Sulina	...	...	33,054	88
Chap. 7.—Repairs of barges	...	...	44,270	17
Total			388,823	72

TITLE III.—LOAN SERVICE AND OTHER EXPENSES.

Interest on ten per cent. bonds not liquidated	...	...	85,944	25
Interest on the London Loan	...	...	86,787	76
Banker's commission of 4 per cent., payable on the sum of 2,625,000 francs, forming the balance of the London Loan, received in 1869	...	...	105,160	00
Salaries of the Staff of the General Inspection of the Navigation, paid on account of the Ottoman Government	...	...	29,533	98
Gratuities	...	...	17,656	22
Commission to agents	...	...	1,103	20
General miscellaneous expenses	...	...	25,408	29
Repayment of taxes and fines	...	...	1,101	17
Loss on exchange	...	...	407	83
Indemnity to widow and children of a deceased employé	...	...	6,000	00
Total	...	...	359,102	70

SPECIAL WORKS AND EXPENSES IN 1869.

	fvs.	cts.
Fitting up the new Seamen's Hospital, with partial renewal of furniture ...	11,963	82
Furnishing offices and rooms reserved for Commissioners at Sulina ...	27,665	95
Survey of the coast of the Delta ...	9,000	00
Purchase of barges and fitting mud pumps to dredgers...	80,000	00
Renewal of the buoys in the Sulina branch ...	31,349	29
Establishment of beacons at the mouth of the St. George ...	166	74
Buoysing the Bay of Portitza ...	12,391	70
Completion of the Sulina Cemeteries ...	12,763	23
Harbour Master's boat-basin and boat-house ...	6,160	15
Purchase of a reserve steam pilot launch, fitted with a fire engine ...	80,298	30
Enclosure wall, Seamen's Hospital... ...	47,366	88
Building five workmen's cottages at Sulina ...	49,544	32
Building at Toultscha of house and offices for the Inspector-General of the Navigation ...	18,118	38
Completion of the Harbour Master's offices and quarters ...	6,336	97

Expenses on prolongation of the South Pier	5,641	51
Completion of the Seamen's Hospital	70,753	64
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Total	469,520	88
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Balance.

Receipts of the Ordinary Budget	1,712,074	46
Expenditure on do. :—					
Administration	frs. 287,859	cts. 41	
Technical service	388,823	72	
Loans, &c.	359,102	70	
Special works	469,520	88	
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				1,505,306	71
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Balance	206,767	75
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SECOND PART.—CONTINUATION OF SPECIAL WORKS.

Receipt.

The sum of one million francs raised on the London Loan for the require-					
ments of these works in 1869	...	...	...	...	1,000,000 00

Expenses.

f's. cts.

Consolidation of the Sulina piers	...	381,910	14
Revetment of the river banks in the harbour	...	17,734	07

River works :

The "M" cutting	...	203,893	99
Works at Gorgova	...	67,243	67
Do. at Kalo Ayros	...	15,062	59
Do. Monodendri	...	4,557	13
Do. Little Argagni	...	36,666	40
Do. Upper do.	...	21,081	11
Do. 43rd mile post	...	6,970	77
Do. St. George's Tchatal	...	10,283	71
Permanent beacons	...	1,050	58

Sum not yet apportioned to the several estimates for
 river works ... 6,864 50
 Prolongation of the South Pier ... 146,667 00

Total expenses ... 916,985 00

Balance remaining in hand ... 83,014 34

THIRD PART.—FORMATION OF THE COMPLETION, REDEMPTION, AND RESERVE FUNDS.

Receipts.

Excess of the receipts of 1868	...	...	385,993	26
Balance of the London loan	...	...	1,500,000	00
Unengaged portion of interest from investments in the eight per cent. Roumanian Loan	...	...	12,398	10
Half-year's interest on the Roumanian Rural Bonds	...	...	27,102	70
Total receipts	...	...	1,925,494	06

Expenses.

	frs.	cts.
Ten per cent. bonds of the commission paid off in 1869	196,928	00
Purchase of bonds of the Roumanian eight per cent. Oppenheim Loan	592,281	25
Purchase of Rural Bonds of Roumania, nominally of the value of 1,761,200 piastres, for the reserve fund	648,161	48
Purchase of five per cent. guaranteed bonds of the Scinde Delhi Railway, of the value of £18,000 sterling, for the completion fund	477,903	12
Total Expenses	1,915,273	83

Balance.

Sum set apart to form the three funds	1,925,494	06
Expenses	1,915,273	85
Balance in hand	10,220	21

General Balance to the 31st December, 1869.

Surplus on the ordinary budget	206,767	75
Balance in hand on the sum set apart for the permanent works for the year	83,014	34
Balance from special funds	10,220	21
Total	300,002	30

RECAPITULATION OF PAYMENTS RECEIVED FROM THE LONDON LOAN.

The amount of this loan, as it appears from the contract made with Messrs. Bischoffheim and Goldschmidt the 29th September, 1868, annexed to Protocol No. CCXXV, is £135,000 sterling.

The first payment of this capital is borne on the receipts in the statement of accounts for the year 1868, joined to Protocol No. CCXXVIII; it amounted to £30,000, and has produced 746,250 francs. The remainder of the loan, amounting to £105,000, has been calculated at 25 francs per £1 sterling, and has thus realized 2,625,000 francs.

This sum has been apportioned as follows:—

Repayment of the ordinary revenue, see receipts of last year's budget (1st part of present account)	...	...	...	frs.
For the permanent works of this year (2nd part of this do.)	125,000
Formation of the three special funds (3rd part of do.)	1,000,000
				1,500,000
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				2,625,000
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The loan expenses and commission have been entirely supported by the ordinary Revenue of the Commission, as shown in the foregoing statement and in that for 1868.

NAVIGATION DUES LEVIED AT SULINA IN 1869.

These dues are levied by the European Commission by virtue of Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris of 30th March, 1856, to cover the expenditure devoted to the improvement of the mouths of the Danube.

The collection is effected on the basis of the tariff joined to the Public Act signed at Galatz on the 2nd November, 1865, and in part modified by the provisions enacted on the 27th April, 1867.

It also includes the dues imposed on the navigation for the pilotage and lighthouses at the mouth of the river.

In 1869 the gross produce of the dues levied at Sulina amounted to 1,698,227 francs 98 centimes, composed of the following items:—

Dues paid by		frs.	cts.
Sailing and steam vessels (except packets boats)	...	1,675,186	65
Packet boats...	...	6,594	00
Lighters	...	7,963	00
Rafts	...	2,800	00
Police fines	...	5,684	33
Total	...	1,698,227	98

From this sum there was deducted—

For local pilot service	111,082	06
Service of lighthouses	...	46,822	15
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		157,904	21

The net produce is therefore reduced to ...

1,510,323 77

This produce was, in

			frs.	cts.
1861 ...	...	...	738,253	37
1862 ...	...	...	747,003	80
1863 ...	...	...	931,817	48
1864 ...	...	...	1,105,341	51
1865 ...	...	...	839,445	76
1866 ...	...	...	783,229	00
1867 ...	...	...	786,605	97
1868 ...	...	...	1,487,402	54
1869 ...	...	...	1,540,323	77

The mean of these nine years being the sum of 995,491 francs 47 centimes.

ASSETS OF THE COMMISSION.

The assets of the Commission on the 31st December, 1869, were as follows :—

		frs.	cts.
1st.	Total balance in cash, as per foregoing statement	300,002	30
2nd.	1,761,200 piastres in rural bonds of Roumania, cost price	648,161	48
3rd.	£18,000 in 5 per cent. bonds of Scinde Delhi Railway, cost price	477,903	12
4th.	£25,800 in 8 per cent. bonds of the Roumanian Oppenheim Loan, cost price	592,281	25
5th.	The value of plant, buildings, furniture, &c., belonging to the Commission at Sulina, Toulcha and Galatz, as per inventory annexed to Protocol No. CCXLVI.	2,278,273	51
Total		4,296,621	66

II. LIABILITIES OF THE COMMISSION.

These are of three kinds :—

- 1st. Ten per cent. bonds.
- 2nd. Loan concluded with Messrs. Bischoffheim and Goldschmidt.
- 3rd. Sum due to Turkey for advances made by her for works from 1856 to 1863

FIRST. 10 per Cent. Bonds

The sum total of 10 per cent. Bonds, of the issue of 1867 and 1868, in circulation amounted at the end of 1868 to 65,550 ducats. 16,600 ducats having been paid off before maturity, at the end of 1869 there remained 48,950 ducats which do not all mature until the 11th February, 1872. The funds necessary for the redemption of these bonds have been deducted from the London Loan and placed provisionally in 8 per cent. bonds of the Roumanian Oppenheim Loan.

SECOND. 4 per. cent. Loan of Messrs. Bischoffheim and Goldschmidt.

The Loan concluded with this firm amounts to £135,000 sterling, and was destined to cover the expenses made and to be made on account of the permanent works. This Loan was issued at 96 per cent. A commission of 1 per cent. has been paid to the negotiator ; the rate of interest is 4 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly. The liquidation of the capital will commence on the 30th June, 1871, and will terminate on the 31st December, 1882. The capital of this loan has been entirely received, as appears from the foregoing statements of accounts.

THIRD. Debt to the Sublime Porte.

The total amount of this debt has been fixed at the sum of 314,247 ducats, or 3,739,540 francs.

On the other hand, the Ottoman Government is indebted to the European Commission, according to the account current to the 31st December, 1869, the sum of 37,845 francs 86 centimes.

The capital of 3,739,540 francs owed to Turkey will produce interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum from the 1st January, 1871. It is re-

payable by annuities of 180,000 francs at the least, comprising interest and sinking fund, which must be met half-yearly, commencing from the 30th June, 1883.

Galatz, 2nd May, 1870.

(Signed)

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N. ZULAUF.

A. D'AVRIL.

J. STOKES.

B. BERIS.

D'OFFENBURG.

ISMAIL.

(C. 1037.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 22, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Law of the French Legislature, and of an Imperial Decree concerning the publication thereof, relative to the legal tender of Notes of the Bank of France.

The following is a translation of the Articles of the Law :—

Art. 1. From the day of the promulgation of the present law, the notes of the Bank of France shall be received as legal money for the public coffers and by private persons.

Art. 2. Until fresh orders, the Bank is dispensed from the obligation of repaying its notes with specie.

Art. 3. In any case, the amount issued by the Bank and its branches shall not exceed 1,800 millions.

Art. 4. The dispositions of Arts. 2 and 3 above

are applicable to the Bank of Algeria, the issue of notes by which shall not exceed 18 millions.

Art. 5. The amount of notes shall be reduced to 25 francs.

By the Decree dated 12th August, the publication of the Law is to be made conformably to the ordinances of the 27th November, 1816, and 18th January, 1817.

The Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have also received a Law of the French Legislature, relative to the time of expiration of Bills of Exchange.

The following is a translation of the Articles:—

Art. 1. The dates at which summonses, and all decisions providing for redress, ought to be made for every negociable bill drawn before the promulgation of the present Law, are deferred for one month.

Repayment shall not be demanded from the endorsers, and others involved, during the same period.

Interest shall be due from the time of expiration until payment.

Art. 2. No process can be instituted during the war against citizens called to military service, in virtue of Art. 2 of the Law of the 11th August, 1870, or against the "Gardes Mobiles" serving with their corps.

By an Imperial Decree, dated 13th August, its publication is to be made conformably to the Ordinances of the 27th November, 1816, and the 18th January, 1817.

(C. 1040.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 22, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, stating that in consequence of the outbreak of cholera at Taganrog, all vessels from Russian ports of the Black Sea with foul bills of health are obliged to undergo Quarantine at the entrance of the Bosphorus, even though they may be bound to distant European ports. Also that the Board of Health at Constantinople, having decided on suppressing all the Ottoman Quarantine Stations along the Danube, except Sulina, vessels, goods, and passengers proceeding to that river with a foul bill of health, will have to stop at Sulina and there perform quarantine previous to their being allowed to enter the river. The mails, however, will be fumigated and forwarded at once by other conveyances.

Admiralty, 19th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870 :—

Commander Arthur Alexander Walton Onslow has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Captain, from the 1st April, 1870, the date of his being retired.

Admiralty, 20th August, 1870.

The retirement of Commander Alfred Browne Hasler Helby, under the provisions of Her Ma-

esty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, has been cancelled.

Admiralty, 22nd August, 1870.

The following annual promotions from Her Majesty's yacht Victoria and Albert have been this day made, with seniority of 18th August, 1870 :—

Lieutenant George John Anstruther to be Commander.

Sub-Lieutenants :

Henry Thomas Gartside Tipping,
George Augustus Giffard,
Charles Vernon Strange,
to be Lieutenants.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted, with seniority of 19th August, 1870 :—

To be Staff Surgeons :

Henry Slade.
William Bennett Dalby, M.D.
Ahmuty Irwin.

To be Surgeons :

James Leech Whitney.
Garland William Langdon Harrison.
George Bewsher Beale, M.D.
Charles Strickland.
William Shute Fisher.
Samuel Grose.
James Trimble.
Robert Longstaff Bett.
Bradley Gregory.
Thomas L. Bickford.
Alexander Turnbull, M.D.
John Mitchell Hunter.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York and of the City and County of the City of York.

Rear-Admiral Chiesman Henry Binstead to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1870.

3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

Henry William Barlow, Esq., late Captain Royal Engineers, to be Captain, vice Rochfort, resigned. Dated 20th July, 1870.

John Taylor Winnington, Gent., late Lieutenant 1st Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Vernon, resigned. Dated 20th July, 1870.

6th Regiment of West York Militia.

Lieutenant Edward Curteis Bond to be Captain, vice Lawson, resigned. Dated 27th July, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major William Copland Redmond Judd, of the Bedfordshire Regiment of Militia, receiving the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

West Kent Regiment of Militia.

Alexander Glendining, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Richard Kennedy Birley in the Artillery Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 26,
1870.

Colonial Office, Downing Street,
August 24, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Viscount Bury, formerly Civil Secretary and Superintendent of Indian Affairs in the Province of Canada (now forming part of the Dominion of Canada), to be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

St. James's Palace, August 24, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Marquis of Normanby, to appoint John Hampden Waller, Esq., late Lieutenant 28th Regiment, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Major James Lowndes, resigned.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Par-

“liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and
 “for substituting other provisions for the like
 “purposes ;” and of an Act passed in the twenty-
 sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty,
 intituled “An Act to further limit and define
 “the time for proceeding to Election during the
 “Recess :”

I do hereby give notice, that the death of
 John Ivatt Briscoe, Esq., late a Member serving
 in this present Parliament for the Western Divi-
 sion of the county of Surrey, hath been certified
 to me in writing, under the hands of two Members
 serving in this present Parliament ; and that I
 shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown
 to make out a new writ for the electing of a
 Member to serve in this present Parliament for
 the said county at the end of six days after the
 insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twenty-fourth
 day of August, 1870.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

(C. 1041.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 23, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Com-
 mittee of Privy Council for Trade have received,
 through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,
 a copy of a Notice issued by the Bank of France,
 relating to the delay authorized by law in meeting
 bills of exchange, of which the following is a
 translation :—

Bills discounted by the Bank will issue from its
 office at the time of expiration indicated upon
 each of them, and will be presented to the acceptors.
 If these last, wishing to profit by the time of pro-
 rogation granted by law, do not pay, the Bank

will not return the bills to the presenters for repayment, who will learn on the morrow, at the Receipt Office, before noon, what bills have been paid or unpaid, and withdraw such of those last as it may be convenient to them to pay.

Bills unpaid by the acceptors, and not withdrawn by the presenters, will be deposited in a separate department. When the time of prorogation shall have expired, the Bank will present afresh the bills to the acceptors, after having added to the total of each bill the amount of interest due.

In case of non-payment, it will protest or return it, conformably to usage, to the drawers, for repayment.

With respect to cash bills, that is to say, simply sent to the Bank for deposit, they will only be presented once, on the day of expiry indicated by these bills. And for those which shall not be paid, it will return them to the depositors, after which all intervention on the part of the Bank will have ceased. It will then remain for the depositors to present them again to the debtors at the expiration of the prorogation, and to take all necessary proceedings.

Credit will henceforth only be given for the cash bills, until the third day after the deposit has been made. This measure is inevitable, in consequence of the excessive work imposed on the employés and the receipt clerks, for the regulation of accounts.

Dated 17th August, 1870.

(C. 1048.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 24, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

the following translation of an Edict of the Spanish Government, admitting, free of duty, into the Island of Puerto Rico, agricultural machinery and implements and all mechanical applications tending to economise human labour:—

“Without prejudice to that which was laid down in Article 7 of the Decree of the 24th of June last, which establishes the bases for the reform of the Customs Dues in that island (Puerto Rico), H.H. the Regent of the Kingdom has been pleased to order that machinery and every sort of mechanical apparatus, as well as instruments for agricultural purposes, for carrying crops on properties, and every kind of application, the object of which is to economise manual labour, or to make the “exploitation” of landed property less expensive, whether that property is actually in cultivation, or is intended to be so in the future, may at once be imported through the Custom Houses free from all import duty, wherever may be the place from whence they came, or under whatever flag they may have been shipped.”

(C. 1052.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 25, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General in Siam, reporting a reduction in the export duties on sugar in that country. These duties, formerly two salungs per picul for white, and one salung for red sugar, or, in other words one shilling and three pence for 133 pounds of the former, and half that amount for the same quantity of the latter, are now reduced by one-

half. The Siamese Government, however, reserve to themselves the right of reverting to the late rates at the expiration of five years, if they think it desirable to do so.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August, 1870.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of an Amended Article of the Ottoman Marine Code respecting the ownership of vessels under Turkish colours, of which the following is a translation :—

“No other than Ottoman subjects can own, wholly or in part, any vessel carrying the Ottoman flag. Nevertheless any vessel belonging to an Ottoman subject may be sold in its entirety to a foreigner, upon condition that the ‘Berat’ and other papers proving that the vessel is Ottoman are duly withdrawn.”

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 25, 1870.*

THE following Notice has been received by the Board of Trade from Her Majesty’s Consul-General in Egypt, through the Foreign Office :—

NOTICE TO THE MARITIME TRADE.

THE Egyptian Government having lately established at Rosette, Brulos, Damiette, and Port-Said, lighthouses intended, in conjunction with the one which has for many years existed at Alexandria, to light up the Mediterranean shore, and being about also to erect lighthouses at Souakim and Ras-Garib, on the coast of the Red Sea, where are already established the lighthouses at Zapharan, Aboukizân, and Achrafi, Egyptian and foreign commerce is hereby informed that the

light dues to be paid in the ports of Egypt are fixed as follows :—

ARTICLE 1.

Every merchant vessel, sailing or steam, entering into one or more Egyptian ports of the Mediterranean Sea, shall pay, on entering each of the first two ports only, thirty paras, Egyptian Tariff, per Turkish ton, and fifteen paras for every ton exceeding 800 Turkish tons.

ARTICLE 2.

Every merchant vessel, sailing or steam, entering into one or more Egyptian ports of the Red Sea, shall pay, at the entrance into each port, a duty of two Egyptian piastres per Turkish ton, and of one Egyptian piastre for every ton exceeding 800 Turkish tons.

ARTICLE 3.

Every merchant vessel, sailing or steam, going from the Mediterranean Sea into the Red Sea, or from the Red Sea into the Mediterranean Sea, is bound to discharge, in the former case, on entering into Port-Said, and in the latter case, on entering into the Port of Suez, the light dues fixed in Article 2 concerning the Red Sea.

However, every merchant vessel, sailing or steam, which arriving by the Maritime Canal, stops at Suez and without going beyond, returns into the Mediterranean Sea shall only pay the dues fixed in Article 1 concerning that sea.

ARTICLE 4.

Every merchant vessel, sailing or steam, entering into an Egyptian port is bound after having obtained a clean bill of health to discharge the light dues at the office of the Capitainerie at the port at the same time when she reports her arrival, and a receipt thereof shall be delivered.

ARTICLE 5.

Every new entry into the same port of a merchant vessel involves the payment of the same dues.

ARTICLE 6.

Any merchant vessel which having sailed from a port and without having touched any other port or transacted commercial operations should be obliged to return to anchor either by stress of weather, or by reason of damage sustained, which must be stated in a written deposition signed by the principal officers on board, shall be exempt from a new payment of the light dues.

ARTICLE 7.

The signatures of the deposition must be legalized at the Consulate of the nation of the vessel thus returned. The document must then be submitted to the Captain of the port.

ARTICLE 8.

Vessels of war will always be exempt from light dues; also all merchant vessels measuring ten tons Turkish, or less.

ARTICLE 9.

The amount of dues to be discharged by each vessel is calculated according to her legal and official measurement, converted into Turkish tons of 792 okka each.

ARTICLE 10.

A reduction of five per cent. upon the amount of light dues will be allowed to vessels engaged in a regular postal service. Independently of what is said in Article 8, coasting vessels shall pay once per month, fishing vessels once a-year, the light-house dues fixed for vessels of 100 tons.

ARTICLE 11.

In consideration of the space required in steam vessels for stores or coal rooms, 40 per cent. will be deducted from the tonnage.

It is, however, well understood that if such a deduction has already been effected in their documents of nationality, they shall not be entitled to any further deduction.

ARTICLE 12.

The present tariff shall be subject to be increased or lowered according to the state of the budget of lighthouses to be drawn up by Government every year.

Alexandria, the 30th July, 1870.

To come into force on and from the 1st September next.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE PRIVY
COUNCIL.

MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR, AND
P. I. FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

War Office, Pall Mall,
26th August, 1870.

14th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Maurice Barlow, from the 106th Regiment, to be Colonel, vice General Sir William Wood, K.C.B., K.H., deceased.
Dated 9th August, 1870.

106th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General the Honourable George Cadogan, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Barlow, transferred to the Colonelcy of the 14th Foot. Dated 9th August, 1870.

2nd Dragoon Guards, John Henry Le Bagge Bagge, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dudley Albert Hambrough, whose appointment by purchase on the 10th April, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 27th August, 1870.

3rd Hussars, Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Stuart Murray Wilson to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Alfred Adrian Jones, who resigns. Dated 14th July, 1869.

18th Hussars, Charles Henry Simpson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Charles David Wilson Cammell, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Henry Tanfield Vachell (late Bombay) to be Captain, vice J. R. Henderson, retired upon full-pay. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Lieutenant Frederick William Mackenzie Spring (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Vachell, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Second Captain Richard Swanne Robinson (late Bengal), from temporary half-pay, to be Second Captain, vice A. R. T. Chilton, who resigns. Dated 27th August, 1870.

The undermentioned Acting Veterinary-Surgeons to be Veterinary-Surgeons, viz. :—

Richard Rowe. Dated 14th July, 1869.

William James Masters. Dated 14th July, 1869.

Joseph Gibbs. Dated 10th November, 1869.

William Capes. Dated 10th November, 1869.

Algernon Pitcher. Dated 10th November, 1869.

Walter Henry Kemp. Dated 9th February, 1870.

Coast Brigade, Lieutenant James Thomson to be Captain, vice J. T. Cole, deceased. Dated 31st July, 1870.

Lieutenant John Ramsay, from temporary half-pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomson, promoted. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Villiers Hatton, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice W. S. Kenyon-Slaney, promoted. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant the Honourable Alfred Walter Charteris, from 71st Foot, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Charles Duncombe, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated 27th August, 1870.

10th Foot, Ensign William George Currie Johnstone has been permitted to receive the value of his commission on transfer to the India Staff Corps. Dated 27th August, 1870.

11th Foot, Captain William Henry Crompton to be Major, without purchase, vice R. Maunsell, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th August, 1870.

13th Foot, Ensign Charles Duncuft Radcliffe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Archibald W. Harrison, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Edmund William Clark, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Radcliffe. Dated 27th August, 1870.

14th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Harry Howlett Young, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wybrants Olphert, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.

15th Foot, Captain Robert Thomas P. Cuthbert to be Major, by purchase, vice Wilson, promoted, by purchase, in the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 27th August, 1870.

- Lieutenant Henry Evan Pateshall Thomas to be Captain, by purchase, vice Cuthbert. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- Ensign Arthur Bowles to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- Gentleman Cadet Frederick George Pogson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bowles. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- 30th Foot*, Lieutenant Ollyett Woodhouse Braine to be Captain, by purchase, vice Montague D. Stevenson, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- Ensign Robert Francis Walker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Braine. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- Gentleman Cadet Henry Theodore Penrhys Evans to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Walker. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- 38th Foot*, Lieutenant G. Lloyd Reilly Richardson has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- 45th Foot*, Ensign Morton Frederick Thrupp, from 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Beauchamp F. Bagenal, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.
- 46th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Murphy to be Captain, without purchase, vice Henry Carr W. Hamond, deceased. Dated 5th August, 1870.
- 56th Foot*, Staff Surgeon Frederick Oakes to be Surgeon, vice William Tydd Harding, appointed to the Staff. Dated 4th August, 1870.
- 57th Foot*, Ensign John Woodhouse Acland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Edmund Broderip, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet John Bonhote, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Acland. Dated 27th August, 1870.

59th Foot, Captain Philip Homan folliott, from 99th Foot, to be Captain, vice John Thomson Bowers, who exchanges. Dated 27th August, 1870.

64th Foot, Ensign Edmund William Adderley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Church, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet John Patrick Miller, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Adderley. Dated 27th August, 1870.

71st Foot, Ensign and Lieutenant Henry Charles Duncombe, from the Coldstream Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable Alfred Walter Charteris, who exchanges. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Ensign Francis Maude Reid to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Harris Nicolas Pinnock, who retires. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Alfred Donald Mackintosh, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Reid. Dated 27th August, 1870.

73rd Foot, Lieutenant Howel Gunter to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Clarke, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 27th August, 1870.

79th Foot, Ensign George Frederick Young has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 27th August, 1870.

84th Foot, Lieutenant John Lennox Power, from 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant,

vice George Patrick Campbell, who exchanges.
Dated 27th August, 1870.

99th Foot, Captain John Thomson Bowers, from
59th Foot, to be Captain, vice Philip Homan,
ffolliott, who exchanges. Dated 27th August,
1870.

2nd West India Regiment, Major Sylvester W.
F. M. Wilson, from 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant-
Colonel, by purchase, vice James Delamain
Mends, who retires. Dated 27th August,
1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Robert Cowell, from
half-pay late Dépôt Battalion, to be Lieutenant-
Colonel, vice S. W. F. M. Wilson, who retires
upon temporary half-pay. Dated 27th August,
1870.

Lieutenant George Patrick Campbell, from 84th
Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice John Lennox
Power, who exchanges. Dated 27th August,
1870.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon-Major James
Crerar, from half-pay, to be Staff Surgeon-
Major, vice Francis Hastings Baxter, M.D.,
who retires upon half-pay. Dated 16th July,
1870.

Surgeon William Tydd Harding, from the 56th
Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Frederick Oakes,
appointed to the 56th Foot. Dated 4th August,
1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Butler Power
O'Brien to be Staff Surgeon, vice Edmund
Humphrey Roberts, placed on half-pay. Dated
4th August, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Henry Sherlock to be
Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major John
Gorringe, deceased. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Veterinary Department, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Acting Veterinary Surgeons :—
 Samuel Luis Pallin, vice Wilson appointed to 3rd Hussars. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Alfred Ernest Queripel, vice Rowe, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Charles Phillips, vice Masters, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Benjamin Lucas Glover, vice Gibbs, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Frank Garratt, vice Capes, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Charles John Grey, vice Pitcher, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Half Pay, Major Richard Maunsell, from 11th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain James Duncan, from 19th Hussars, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Andrew Murray Walker, from Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant William Clarke, from 73rd Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Whitaker Roworth, from 6th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Captain James Rennie Henderson, retired full-pay, Royal (late Bombay) Artillery, to be Major, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Staff Surgeon-Major Francis Hastings Baxter, M.D., who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 16th July, 1870.

First Class Apothecary Richard Edward Wrafter, in Medical Charge of the Stud Dépôt at Haupper, to have the local and honorary rank of Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 24th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List, from the 9th instant :—

Staff Commander John Edward Davis.

(Mr. Davis has been authorized to assume the rank of Retired Captain from the same date).

Admiralty, 25th August, 1870.

Seaton Wade, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 18th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the Honourable Peter John Locke-King, M.P., being appointed Vice Lieutenant for the County of Surrey. Dated 25th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

3rd Royal Surrey Militia.

Lieutenant Courtenay Mansel to be Captain, vice Ivimy, resigned. Dated 13th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by

Lieutenant Percival Forster in the North Durham Militia. Dated 15th August, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

*Royal East Kent Yeomanry Cavalry
(Mounted Rifles).*

Cornet Dudley Francis, Earl of Guildford, to be Captain, vice Dickson, resigned. Dated 18th August, 1870.

West Kent Yeomanry Cavalry (Queen's Own).

The Reverend Allan Smith-Masters to be Chaplain, vice Bligh, resigned. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

*2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of
Middlesex Militia.*

James Warren Robertson, Esq., late 14th Hussars, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th July, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Algernon G. B. Whitmore, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles
Militia Artillery.*

Major Thomas Shairp to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Logan Home, deceased. Dated 13th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of a step of honorary rank being granted to each of the undermentioned Officers, viz.:—

1st West York Militia.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Edmund Gambier Monckton, from 3rd August, 1870.
Major Alexander Aitken, from 3rd August, 1870.

6th West York Militia.

Major Robert Stansfeld, from 6th August, 1870.
Major Frederick Joliffe Bayly, from 6th August, 1870.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 26,
1870.

Foreign Office, August 27, 1870.

IT is hereby notified that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris an official copy of the Notification of the Blockade of the Coasts of the Confederation of North Germany in the Baltic, transmitted to him from the Imperial Ministry of Foreign Affairs, which is as follows:

“We, the undersigned, Vice-Admiral, Senator, Commanding-in-Chief the Naval Forces of His Majesty the Emperor of the French in the Baltic Sea, having regard to the state of war existing

between France and Prussia, as well as the States of the Confederation of North Germany, acting in virtue of the powers which appertain to us, declare :—That from the 15th August, 1870, the ports, harbours, roads, creeks, &c., &c., comprised between 53 degrees 25 minutes and 55 degrees 53 minutes of north latitude, 7 degrees 6 minutes and 18 degrees 55 minutes of east longitude by the meridian of Paris, will be kept in a state of effective blockade by the naval forces placed under our command, and that friendly and neutral vessels will have a delay of ten days to complete their lading, and quit the blockaded places.

“ Every vessel which shall attempt to violate the said Blockade will be proceeded against in conformity with the Law of Nations, and the Treaties in force with Neutral Powers.”

“ On board the ‘*Surveillante*’ iron-plated frigate of His Majesty the Emperor of the French.

“ Great Belt, 15th August, 1870.

“ The Vice-Admiral, Senator, Commanding-in-Chief the Armour Plated Squadron of the North.

“ (Signed) CTE. BOUET WILLAUMEZ.”

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 30,
1870.

(C. 1058.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 29, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a

copy of an Imperial Decree, dated 21st August instant, prohibiting the exportation of alimentary supplies from St. Valery to Dunkirk by sea, and from Dunkirk to Lanslebourg by land.

The following is a translation of the articles of the Decree :—

Art. 1. The exportation, re-exportation, and transit of live stock, meat, grain, and meal of all kinds, bran, and forage, by the land frontier from Dunkirk to Lanslebourg, and by the sea frontier from St. Valery to Dunkirk, are prohibited.

The Minister of Finance may, however, grant exceptions to the above provision under the conditions established by Art. 1 of Decree of 24th July last.

Art. 2. Our Ministers of Agriculture, Commerce, and Finance are charged, each in that which concerns him, with the execution of the present Decree, which will take effect from the day when it shall be published by the Prefects in the manner prescribed by the ordinance of the 18th January, 1817.

Dated, the Tuileries, 21st August, 1870.

War Office, Pall Mall,

30th August, 1870.

BREVET.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Major-General Robert Lewis, who died on 22nd July, 1870 :—

Brevet-Colonel Henry James Warre, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 57th Foot, serving with the rank of Brigadier-General, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 23rd July, 1870.

Major the Honourable Augustus H. A. Anson, V.C., half-pay, late 7th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Captain Thomas Edmund Byrne, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Admiralty, 27th August, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 :—

Reserved Captain George Clarke Mends has been placed on the list of Captains retired under Orders in Council of 24th April, 1847, 25th June, 1851, and 26th July, 1867, from the 13th instant.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel J. Salmond in the Westmorland and Cumberland Yeomanry Cavalry, and to permit him to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 25th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Infantry Militia.

Borlase Gaspard Le Marchant Thomas Le Marchant, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th August, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by

Lieutenant Thomas John Buchanan in the Royal Monmouthshire Regiment of Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Assistant-Surgeon William Allin Thompson in the Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 24 V., c. 5, and dated the 11th March, 1867, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th September, 1870, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th September next; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to March, 1871, will be at the rate of two and three quarters per centum per annum.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
30th August, 1870.

FROM THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 30,
1870.

Foreign Office, August 31, 1870.

IT is hereby notified that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has on this day received from Her Majesty's Amba-
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sador at Paris the copy of an official communication from the Imperial Ministry of Foreign Affairs, announcing that the commencement of the Blockade of the ports, harbours, roads, creeks, &c., of the North German Confederation, by the Naval Forces of His Majesty the Emperor of the French, in the Baltic Sea, dates in effect from the 19th day of August, and that the previous announcement of the 15th day of August as the date of the commencement of the Blockade, was erroneous.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 2,
1870.

TREATY between Her Majesty and the King of Prussia, relative to the Independence and Neutrality of Belgium.

Signed at London, August 9, 1870.

[Ratifications exchanged at London, August 9, 1870.]

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the King of Prussia, being desirous at the present time of recording in a solemn Act their fixed determination to maintain the independence and neutrality of Belgium, as provided in the Seventh Article of the Treaty signed at London on the 19th of April, 1839, between Belgium and the Netherlands, which Article was declared by the Quintuple Treaty of 1839 to be considered as having the same force and value as if textually inserted in the said Quintuple Treaty,

their said Majesties have determined to conclude between themselves a separate Treaty, which, without impairing or invalidating the conditions of the said Quintuple Treaty, shall be subsidiary and accessory to it; and They have accordingly named as their Plenipotentiaries for that purpose, that is to say :—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honourable Granville George, Earl Granville, Lord Leveson, a Peer of the United Kingdom, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Her Britannic Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports and Constable of Dover Castle, Chancellor of the University of London, Her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs:

And His Majesty the King of Prussia, his Excellency the Minister of State, Albert Count of Bernstorff-Stintenburg, Grand Cross of the Order of the Red Eagle with Oak Leaves, and Grand Commander of the Royal Order of the House of Hohenzollern in Diamonds, &c., Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to Her Britannic Majesty from His said Majesty for the North German Confederation;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles :—

ARTICLE I.

His Majesty the King of Prussia having declared that, notwithstanding the hostilities in which the North German Confederation is engaged with France, it is his fixed determination to respect the neutrality of Belgium, so long as the same shall be respected by France, Her Ma-

jesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland on her part declares that, if during the said hostilities the armies of France should violate that neutrality, She will be prepared to co-operate with His Prussian Majesty for the defence of the same in such manner as may be mutually agreed upon, employing for that purpose her naval and military forces to insure its observance, and to maintain, in conjunction with His Prussian Majesty, then and thereafter, the independence and neutrality of Belgium.

It is clearly understood that Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland does not engage herself by this Treaty to take part in any of the general operations of the war now carried on between the North German Confederation and France, beyond the limits of Belgium, as defined in the Treaty between Belgium and the Netherlands of April 19, 1839.

ARTICLE II.

His Majesty the King of Prussia agrees on his part, in the event provided for in the foregoing Article, to co-operate with Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, employing his naval and military forces for the purpose aforesaid; and, the case arising, to concert with Her Majesty the measures which shall be taken, separately or in common, to secure the neutrality and independence of Belgium.

ARTICLE III.

This Treaty shall be binding on the High Contracting Parties during the continuance of the present war between the North German Confederation and France, and for twelve months after the ratification of any Treaty of Peace con-

cluded between those Parties ; and on the expiration of that time the independence and neutrality of Belgium will, so far as the High Contracting Parties are respectively concerned, continue to rest as heretofore on the 1st Article of the Quintuple Treaty of the 19th of April, 1839.

ARTICLE IV.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at London, the ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy

(L.S.)	GRANVILLE.
(L.S.)	BERNSTORFF.

TREATY between Her Majesty and the Emperor of the French, relative to the Independence and Neutrality of Belgium.

Signed at London, August 11, 1870.

[Ratifications exchanged at London, August 26, 1870.]

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the Emperor of the French, being desirous at the present time of recording in a solemn Act their fixed determination to maintain the independence and neutrality of Belgium, as provided by the Seventh Article of the Treaty signed at London on the 19th of April, 1839, between Belgium and the Netherlands, which

Article was declared by the Quintuple Treaty of 1839 to be considered as having the same force and value as if textually inserted in the said Quintuple Treaty, Their said Majesties have determined to conclude between themselves a separate Treaty, which, without impairing or invalidating the conditions of the said Quintuple Treaty, shall be subsidiary and accessory to it; and they have accordingly named as their Plenipotentiaries for that purpose, that is to say :

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honourable Granville George, Earl Granville, Lord Leveson, a Peer of the United Kingdom, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Her Britannic Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports and Constable of Dover Castle, Chancellor of the University of London, Her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs ;

And His Majesty the Emperor of the French, His Excellency the Marquis de La Valette, a Member of His Privy Council, a Senator, Grand Cross of the Imperial Order of the Legion of Honour, His Ambassador to Her Britannic Majesty ;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles :—

ARTICLE I.

His Majesty the Emperor of the French having declared that notwithstanding the hostilities in which France is now engaged with the North German Confederation and its Allies, it is his fixed determination to respect the neutrality of Belgium, so long as the same shall be respected

by the North German Confederation and its Allies, Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland on her part declares that, if during the said hostilities the armies of the North German Confederation and its Allies should violate that neutrality, she will be prepared to co-operate with His Imperial Majesty for the defence of the same in such manner as may be mutually agreed upon, employing for that purpose her naval and military forces to insure its observance, and to maintain, in conjunction with His Imperial Majesty, then and thereafter, the independence and neutrality of Belgium.

It is clearly understood that Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland does not engage herself by this Treaty to take part in any of the general operations of the war now carried on between France and the North German Confederation and its Allies, beyond the limits of Belgium as defined in the Treaty between Belgium and the Netherlands of April 19, 1839.

ARTICLE II.

His Majesty the Emperor of the French agrees on his part, in the event provided for in the foregoing Article, to co-operate with Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, employing his naval and military forces for the purpose aforesaid ; and the case arising, to concert with Her Majesty the measures which shall be taken, separately or in common, to secure the neutrality and independence of Belgium.

ARTICLE III.

This Treaty shall be binding on the High Contracting Parties during the continuance of the

present war between France and the North German Confederation and its Allies, and for twelve months after the ratification of any Treaty of Peace concluded between those Parties ; and on the expiration of that time the independence and neutrality of Belgium will, so far as the High Contracting Parties are respectively concerned, continue to rest, as heretofore, on the 1st Article of the Quintuple Treaty of the 19th of April, 1839.

ARTICLE IV.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at London, the eleventh day of August. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

(L.S.) GRANVILLE.

(L.S.) LA VALETTE.

War Office, August 31, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Colonel Edward William Carlile Wright to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, August 31, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Carlos Guillermo Hart as Consul in the county of Sussex for the Argentine Republic.

Foreign Office, September 1, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Hector Cross Buchanan as Consul at Colombo for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Leon Checa as Consul for Spain at Singapore.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Juan Priaulx Armstrong as Consul at Banagher, with jurisdiction over King's County, Tipperary, and Galway, for the Argentine Republic.

Downing Street, September 1, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edmond Icery, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of Government of the Island of Mauritius; and Louis Alexandre Le Roy, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Trinidad.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Robert John Walcott, Esq., to be Attorney-General for the Colony of Western Australia.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint James Russell, Esq., to be Police Magistrate for the Colony of Hong Kong.

War Office, Pall Mall,

2nd September, 1870.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel Richard England, from half-pay late 55th Foot, to be Major and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Sir Roger William Henry Palmer, Bart., who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

- Captain Alexander Charles Hector Stewart to be Major and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice England, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- Lieutenant Alexander Cockburn to be Captain, by purchase, vice Stewart. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Glentworth Paul Clifton Perceval to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cockburn. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- Cromartie, Marquis of Stafford, to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Perceval. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- 4th Hussars*, Captain Edward Dean Fisher, from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice John Lambert Swale, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- 7th Hussars*, Captain John Lambert Swale, from 4th Hussars, to be Captain, vice Edward Dean Fisher, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- 11th Hussars*, Cornet Edward William Mills has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- 17th Lancers*, Cornet Robert Nugent Humble to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Crowe, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- Gentleman Cadet Augustus Edward De Butts, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Humble. Dated 3rd September, 1870.
- 19th Hussars*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Edmund Vallance to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Byng Thomas Giraud, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 16th August, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Alexander Cæsar Hawkins to be Colonel, vice R. O'Connell, placed upon half-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel John Edward Michell, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. Taswell, retired upon full-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major Philip Bedingfeld to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Hawkins. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major Reginald Onslow Farmer to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel E. B. Hamley, C.B., removed to the Supernumerary List. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain Alexander Hadden Hutchinson, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Colonel Michell, C.B. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain Thomas Henry Pitt, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Bedingfeld. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain Henry Cardew, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Farmer. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain Charles Edward Stirling, from temporary half-pay, to be Captain, vice H. R. Porter, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Surgeon Thomas Park, having completed twenty years full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 1st April, 1867. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Royal Engineers, The temporary Commissions of Lieutenants of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent from 15th July, 1868, viz. :—

George Sydenham Clarke.

George William Bartram.

George Alexander Cockburn.
 William Whiteford Bell Whiteford.
 St. George Mervyn Kirke.
 Alexander William Smart.

Lieutenant John Noble Manwaring has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, The appointment as Adjutant of Lieutenant and Captain D. M. M. Crichton to be antedated to 10th July, 1870.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Mildmay Willson Willson to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable Robert Frederick Villiers, who retires Dated 3rd September, 1870.

George John Egerton Dashwood, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Willson. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

14th Foot, Ensign Robert William Richardson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lonsdale Kirkpatrick Howat, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

17th Foot, Captain George Henry Turner, from half-pay, late 50th Foot, to be Captain, vice James D. Travers, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

20th Foot, Lieutenant Champion Jones to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hector Barlow Vaughan, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Ensign Cuthbert George Collingwood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Jones. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Ensign Robert Francis Vetch to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Herbert Evan Becher, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

23rd Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel James Florence Murray, from half-pay late 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Robert Pratt, C.B., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Major George Phipps Prevost to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Murray, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain Thomas Bernard Hackett, V.C., to be Major, by purchase, vice Prevost. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Lieutenant Robert Frederick Williamson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hackett. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Ensign the Honourable Denis John de Moleyns to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Williamson. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Frederick Murray MacGregor, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice the Honourable D. J. de Moleyns. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

25th Foot, Major Francis Henry Pender to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Henry Pears, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain John Richard Harvey to be Major, by purchase, vice Pender. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Lieutenant Francis Edward Carleton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Harvey. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Ensign John Nathaniel Still to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Carleton. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet George Davidson Campbell Gastrell, from Royal Military College, to be

Ensign, by purchase, vice Still. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

27th Foot, Lieutenant William Wildman Kettlewell, from the 89th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ormsby Cox, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

28th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Charles John Sherer Whittall, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

29th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Arthur George St. George, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

30th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Alfred George Watson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

31st Foot, Gentleman Cadet Alexander Thomas Weller, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

32nd Foot, Gentleman Cadet Oswald Routh Jones, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

33rd Foot, Captain Edwin Glass Fenn, from 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice Francis Wilmot, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet George Lindsay Garstin, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

34th Foot, Ensign John Hamilton Drummond to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles John Myers, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Edward St. Leonards Gybbon Monypenny, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign by purchase, vice Drummond. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

35th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Julian Henry Layard, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

42nd Foot. The retirement upon temporary half-pay on 7th July, 1869, of Lieutenant George Thomas Carns Moore, to be cancelled, but he is not to have any claim to full-pay prior to 3rd September, 1870.

44th Foot, Captain and Brevet-Major Frederick William Gregory to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Robinson, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Lieutenant Reinhold Baker Bald to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Gregory. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Ensign William Douglas Saunders to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bald. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet William Robert Le Geyt Anderson, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Saunders. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

46th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Bingham Fergusson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

48th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Cockburn Hood, from the 93rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice C. T. G. Trotter, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

49th Foot, Captain Francis Wilmot, from the 33rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Edwin Glass

Fenn, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

52nd Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Arthur Joyce Murray, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

53rd Foot, Gentleman Cadet Henry Frederick Lane, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

56th Foot, Captain Champion Jones, from 20th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major M. Robert Eden, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

57th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Thomas John De Burgh, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

63rd Foot, Captain Marmaduke Stourton, from 8th Foot, to be Captain, vice William Grogan Graves, promoted. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas O'Farrell, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 19th July, 1870.

75th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Arthur Henry Pain, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

81st Foot, Gentleman Cadet Edward Evans Kenny, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

82nd Foot, Gentleman Cadet John Guyse Sparke, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

85th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Daniel Charles Grose Bourns to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Robert Kerans, who exchanges. Dated 12th August, 1870.

87th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Alfred Cooper Hennell, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

89th Foot, Lieutenant Ormsby Cox, from 27th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Kettlewell, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Espino Ward to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 19th July, 1870.

93rd Foot, Lieutenant Charles Thomas Graham Trotter, from 48th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Cockburn Hood, who exchanges. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

97th Foot, Lieutenant John Archibald Murray to be Captain, by purchase, vice Frederick Henry Vigne, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Ensign Philip Lawrence Melvill to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Murray. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet William Ardagh Smyth, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Melvill. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

98th Foot, Ensign Ambrose William Stapleton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Forbes Calland, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Alfred Frederick Birch, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Stapleton. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

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104th Foot, Lieutenant Maurice F. Stokes to be Captain, vice Charles Kinloch Mylne, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign George James Croasdale, from the 10th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Chaloner Pollock, who retires. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Control Department, The undermentioned Officers have been appointed to the SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT SUB-DEPARTMENT, from the dates stated against their names, such antedate not to carry pay prior to the 2nd September, 1870 :—

To be Assistant Commissaries.

(Relative Military Rank—Lieutenant.)

John Gallagher, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 28th October, 1864. Dated 12th February, 1870.

Thomas Hassall, from Military Store Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 29th December, 1865. Dated 12th February, 1870.

John Power, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 30th January, 1866. Dated 12th February, 1870.

Job Smith, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 30th January, 1866. Dated 12th February, 1870.

John Williams, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 30th January, 1866. Dated 12th February, 1870.

Henry Clinton, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 15th February, 1868. Dated 12th February, 1870.

John Loney, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 15th February, 1868. Dated 12th February, 1870.

- Charles McGarry, from Quartermaster Commissariat Staff Corps. Date of relative rank 20th October, 1869. Dated 12th February, 1870.
- G. Drury, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- W. Gammell, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- J. Stephenson, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- H. D. O'Donnell, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- W. W. Thelwall, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- H. N. Mitchell, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- A. B. Allen, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- H. Chipp, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- J. Lynas, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.
- J. O'Leary, from Barrack Clerk. Date of relative rank 18th February, 1870. Dated 18th February, 1870.

Medical Department, Inspector-General of Hospitals Samuel Currie, M.D., C.B., from half-pay, to be Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice

Samuel Maitland Hadaway, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 29th October, 1870.

Staff Surgeon-Major William Green Trousdell, M.D., to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice Edward Menzies, retired upon half-pay. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Staff Assistant - Surgeon Edmund Greswold McDowell to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major William Green Trousdell, M.D., promoted. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon William Robert Kerans, from 85th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Daniel Charles Grose Bourns, who exchanges. Dated 12th August, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Byng Thomas Giraud, M.D., from 19th Hussars, to be Staff Assistant Surgeon, vice E. Vallance, who exchanges. Dated 16th August, 1870.

Half-Pay, Captain Matthew Tilford, from the 60th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Sir William Wood, K C B., K.H., Colonel of the 14th Foot, who died on the 8th August, 1870, and Lieutenant-General John Francis Glencairn Campbell, C.B., Colonel of the 79th Foot, who died on the 20th August, 1870 :—

Lieutenant-General Frederick Maunsell, Colonel of the 85th Foot, to be General. Dated 9th August, 1870.

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General Henry John French, Colonel of the 80th Foot. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Major-General John Colliott Crofton, Colonel of the 6th Foot. Dated 21st August, 1870.

To be Major-Generals,

dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the dates against their names : —

Brevet-Colonel Julius Edmund Goodwyn, C.B., from Lieutenant - Colonel 41st Foot. 9th August, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel Rodolph De Salis, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, late 8th Hussars. 21st August, 1870.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Captain and Brevet-Major Thomas Bourke, half-pay, late 37th Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Major the Honourable James Charlemagne Dormer, half-pay, late 13th Foot. Dated 21st August, 1870.

To be Majors.

Captain Charles Johnston, Royal Artillery. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Captain William French, Royal Artillery. Dated 21st August, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Shurlock Henning, 26th Foot. Dated 25th July. 1870.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Wombwell, half-pay, late Dépôt Battalion. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frederick John Goldsmid, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, to have the local rank of Major-General, while employed on special duty in Persia and the adjacent countries. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Taswell, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Charles Capel Somerset, retired upon full-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, to have the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Quartermaster Henry Behenna, retired half-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Captain, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st September, 1870.

Admiralty, 1st September. 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List :—

Admiral the Honourable Sir Frederick William Grey, G.C.B., from the 23rd of August last.
 Commander Thomas Anthony Swinburne from the 13th of July last.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Argyll.

Argyll and Bute Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant William Turner to be Captain, vice Dunsterville, resigned. Dated 30th August, 1870.

Lieutenant Hugh F. Sills to be Captain, vice Hill, resigned. Dated 30th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

Royal Berks Militia.

Walter Holroyd Morland to be Lieutenant, vice Monck, promoted. Dated 25th August, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

Kent Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant James Sutton to be Captain, vice Scoones, resigned. Dated 24th August, 1870.

Edward Lawrence Frederic Jennings, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Renfrew Militia.

Archibald Campbell Campbell, late Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Major. Dated 19th August, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia.

George Wilder, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 12th August, 1870.

John Ramsbotham, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

North York Regiment of Militia.

Joseph John Chapman, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Swan, promoted. Dated 23rd August, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain William Marshall in the 6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 20th August, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to grant the honorary rank of Major to Captain Henry Master Feilden of the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia. Dated 24th August, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captains Allen M. Beauchant and William Richardson being permitted on retirement from the East York Regiment of Militia to retain their rank and wear their uniform.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 6,
1870.

St. James's Palace, Septcmber 5, 1870.

THE Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace, will be closed for repairs on Sunday, September 11th, and Sunday, September 18th.

By order of the Dean,

FRANCIS GARDEN, Sub-Dean.

Master of the Horse's Office, August 23, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Arthur Hardinge, Esq., to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty, vice the Honourable Frederick William Stopford, resigned.

Whitehall, September 5, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to nominate the Reverend Robinson Duckworth, M.A., to the Perpetual Curacy of the District Parish of Saint Mark, in the parish of Saint Mary-le-bone, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, void by the death of the Reverend Sidney Henry Widdrington.

Whitehall, September 5, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present Doctor John Gordon McPherson, to the church and parish of Ruthven, in the presbytery of Meigle, and county of Forfar, vacant by the death of the Reverend Patrick Barty.

(C. 1066.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 5, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, forwarding a copy of a Decree which has appeared in the Madrid Gazette, relative to tobacco in transit in vessels touching at Spanish ports.

The following is a translation of the Order in question :—

(Translation.)

ORDER.

SIR,—His Highness, the Regent of the Kingdom, desiring to afford to vessels touching at intermediate ports every facility compatible with the interests of the revenue, has seen fit to order, in conformity with that which has been proposed by you, that the transit of tobacco of all kinds coming from abroad (*del extranjero*) and going to foreign ports, be at once allowed, subject to the following conditions, which are the same as those established in the new General Customs Ordinances :—

1. That it be carried in steamers, no matter of what nationality.

2. That they measure at least 300 metrical tons.

3. That the captains carry a certificate of the Spanish Consul at the starting point, stating the number of packages, their class, marks, numbering, and gross weight, the quantity and quality of tobacco, the name of the remitter, and place of destination, which certificate must be countersigned by all the Spanish Custom-houses of transit.

4. That the captain of the ship set forth the same circumstances in the manifests, and leave an obligation in the first Custom-house he touches at, to substantiate the disembarkation at the place of destination, with certificate of the Spanish Consul.

5. That the obligation be at the rate of 14 pesetas for each kilo of tobacco, whatever may be its class and effective value.

6. That the place of destination be not that from which the ship comes, nor any of the ports

at which she may have touched during her voyage.

7. That on the covers be marked the weight of each package, which must never be less than 16 kilos, and the place of destination.

8. That all the packages be placed in the hold of the ship properly separated, so that they can be easily examined in the transit Custom-houses, to make sure that they are on board.

Madrid, 16th August, 1870.

(Signed) FIGUEROLA.

To the Director-General
of Revenue.

(C. 1070.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 5, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Algiers, reporting that the exportation of cereals has been prohibited at all the ports of Algeria.

(C. 1073.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 5, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received information through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Tunis, to the effect that the Bey has rected a duty of two piastres (one shilling) per wt. to be levied on all flour or semolina exported from the Regency.

(C. 1074.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 5, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Bogota, enclosing a copy of a Decree passed by the Congress of the United States of Colombia, on the 22nd June last, reforming the tariff of duties levied upon the importation of certain articles of merchandize.

The following are the articles of the law in question :—

DECREES.

ART. 1. The importation duties on the following articles of merchandize shall be 20 cents per kilogram :—

Cotton manufactured in thread of any colour, either in hanks or on reels, and cloths, either ordinary, white, or unbleached, without any pattern or border, like those known here by the names of “domesticas,” “liencillos,” “madapollanes,” “bramantes,” “bogotanas,” “medias-bogotanas,” and others of the same kind; with the exception of muslin, lawn, stockings, caps, and vests, ready made articles for personal use and others of the same kind.

Saffron.

Brass manufactured in any form.

Cinnamon.

Hemp cloth, except when made into empty sacks or bags.

India rubber, either manufactured or not.

Copper manufactured in any way, with the exception of pails or caldrons, or in other articles, the weight of which may exceed 25 kilograms.

Pewter, in any shape. .

Wines and liquors, except beer, in any kind of barrel, and red wine in pipes, barrels, demi-johns, and vessels containing more than 16 litres.

Ivory, bone, or horn, in any shape.

Tea, vinegar.

Section 1. These articles of merchandize shall form the third class of the tariff, and the present class of this number shall be No. 4.

Section 2. The executive power shall arrange and publish the tariff for the payment of importation duties, adding the changes which this law makes, and also those named in Art. 32 of the Law of the 30th of May, 1868, which is supplementary to the Custom's Laws, and by which these are reformed.

Section 3. The changes in the tariff of which this law treats, shall be put into operation on the 1st of next September, each article being increased and diminished, respectively, by 10 per cent. monthly of the difference between the duties established by the present law and those now in force.

ART. 2. Fireworks, cards of every kind, and perfumery, liquid or solid, shall pay 45 cents per kilogram.

ART. 3. Sulphur shall pay 5 cents.

ART. 4. From the 1st of September, forwards, the following articles of commerce will be included in the 1st class :—

Articles already in use, brought by immigrants, up to 150 kilograms per person, exclusive of personal luggage; materials for building,

such as tiles, bricks, slabs, either baked or of stone; the books of Colombian authors printed out of the country; imitation marble in bricks or slabs; silkworms and hives; agricultural and mining implements, machines for preparing raw produce, whether for use or for exportation, such as machines for husking rice, cleaning coffee, pressing indigo, and others of the same kind, ploughs, pig iron, iron hoops, axletrees, wheels, springs and boxes for carts and carriages; tarpaulin for roofs of cottages and for bridges; sulphuric acid; engines, of whatever class, whose force may not exceed ten horse power; turret clocks, including dials and bells; red pitch; unmanufactured tallow; plants of all kinds; flour of wheat and Indian corn, and the apparatus for lighting by gas.

ART. 5. All the laws and existing regulations with respect to the Customs are reformed in the sense of the present Decree.

India Office, 2nd September, 1870.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service :—

BENGAL.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

James Frederick Parry McConnell, M.B., from 1st April, 1870.

Joseph O'Brien, from 1st April, 1870.

James O'Malley McDonnell, from 1st April, 1870.

James Reid, from 1st April, 1870.

Gilbert Proby Mackenzie, from 1st April, 1870.

MADRAS.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Charles Sibthorpe, from 1st April, 1870.

James Anderson Laing, from 1st April, 1870.

Henry David Cook, from 1st April, 1870

BOMBAY.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Francis Jones, from 1st April, 1870.

Richard Aaron Peterson, from 1st April, 1870.

Thomas Stephenson Weir, from 1st April, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Durham.*

Durham Artillery Militia.

John Joseph Spear, Gent., to be First Lieutenant.

Dated 12th August, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

2nd Warwickshire Regiment of Militia.

Edward Charles Windsor, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Gregg, promoted. Dated 2nd September, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 9,
1870.

BY virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and

“fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;” and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled “An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess :”

I do hereby give notice, that the death of William James Clement, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Shrewsbury, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament ; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this sixth day of
September, 1870.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

Admiralty, 6th September, 1870.

Edward Parker Belwell, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 14th August, 1870.

The undermentioned Engineer has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer, with seniority of 1st instant :—

Willoughby Drummond Beaton.

Admiralty, 7th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List :—

Staff Commander George Brooke F. Swain, from the 30th August, 1870, with the rank of Commander.

Paymaster William Hickman, from the 7th September, 1870, with the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief.

To be Honorary Physician to Her Majesty :

Dr. James Salmon, Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets, vice Dr. Wilson, deceased.

Admiralty, 8th September, 1870.

John Franklin Robins Aylen, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Robert Evans, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

The promotion of Sub-Lieutenant Allan Robert Woodriff to the rank of Lieutenant, as published in the Gazette of 12th ultimo, has been cancelled.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Regiment of Militia.

Captain James Grant Suttie to be Major, vice Shairp, promoted. Dated 5th September, 1870.

1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Dorset.*

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

George Harrington Browne Browne, Gent., to be
Lieutenant, vice Andrews, resigned. Dated
31st August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to
accept the resignation of the Commission held by
Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Berkeley Napier in
the North Somerset Yeomanry Cavalry, and to
approve of his being permitted to retain his rank
and wear the uniform of the Regiment on retire-
ment. Dated 27th August, 1870.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 9,
1870.*

Foreign Office, September 9, 1870.

EARL GRANVILLE, K.G., Her Majesty's
Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,
has received a Despatch from His Excellency
Lord Lyons, G. C. B., Her Majesty's Amba-
sador Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary
at Paris, forwarding a copy of the following Note
from the Prince de la Tour d'Auvergne, con-
taining information respecting the composition and
regulations of the French Prize Courts:—

(Translation.)

Paris, 31st August, 1870.

MONSIEUR L'AMBASSADEUR,

IN the letter which your Excellency did me the honour to write to me on the 28th of this month, you expressed to me, in the name of your Government, the wish to be informed of the composition and attributes of the Imperial Council of Prizes, as well as of the formalities to be observed by neutrals for the restoration of merchandize loaded by them under a belligerent's flag.

I do not think I can better answer this request than by transmitting herewith to your Excellency,

1st. The text of the Decree, dated the 9th of May, 1859, which instituted a Council of Prizes in Paris.

2nd. The regulations for the distribution, examination, and judgment of the cases decreed on the 4th June, 1859, by the same Council.

3rd. Lastly, the Decree of 28th November, 1861, which rendered permanent the Council of Prizes instituted by the Decree of 9th May, 1859.

I will add that, in that which concerns the demands relative to cases of capture, the advocates of the Council of State have alone the right to sign the memorials or petitions of the parties, and that the delay given to parties interested for producing their means of defence, are, in each particular case, determined by a special decision of the Council of Prizes, to be published in the *Journal Officiel*."

Agrééz, &c.,

(Signed)

PRINCE DE LA TOUR D'AUVERGNE.

*His Excellency**The Lord Lyons, G.C.B.,*

&c.

&c.

(Translation.)

No. 6609.—*Imperial Decree instituting a Court of Prizes at Paris.*

May 9, 1870.

NAPOLEON, by the Grace of God and the national will, Emperor of the French, to all present and to come, greeting :

On the reports of our Ministers, Secretaries of State for the Departments of Foreign Affairs and Marine ;

Seeing the declaration made, by our order, to the Senate and the Corps Législatif on the 3rd of May, 1859, relative to the state of war existing with Austria ;

With the advice of our Council of State, being of one accord, we have decreed and decree as follows :—

ART. 1. A Council of Prizes is instituted at Paris.

2. This Council decides on the validity of all maritime captures made in the course of the present war, and of which the judgment should appertain to the French authorities. It also decides on the disputes relative to the character of neutral or belligerent ships, shipwrecked or stranded, and on the marine captures brought into the ports of our colonies.

3. This Council is composed—

1st. Of a Councillor of State, as President.

2nd. Of six Members, two of whom are taken from the Masters of Request in our Council of State.

3rd. Of a Government Commissioner, who is to give his opinion on each case.

The Members of the Court of Prizes are nominated, by Imperial Decree, on the presentation of our Ministers of Foreign Affairs and of Marine.

Their services are gratuitous.

A Registrar Secretary is attached to the Council.

4. The sittings of the Council of Prizes are not public. Its decisions can only be given by five members at least.

The Government Commissioner is, in case of absence or hindrance, replaced by one of the Members of the Council.

5. The decisions of the Council of Prizes cannot be carried into effect until eight days after they have been officially communicated to our Ministers of Foreign Affairs and of Marine.

6. The decisions passed by the Council of Prizes may be submitted to us in our Council of State, either by the Government Commissioner or by the interested parties.

The appeal must be made by the Government Commissioner within three months from the decision, and by the parties interested within three months from the notification of the decision.

This appeal has no suspensive effect, unless for the final distribution of the proceeds of the prizes.

In every case, the Council of Prizes may, however, order that the execution of its decision shall not take place except on the condition of security being given.

In every case our Council of State may order that the execution of the decision against which an appeal is made shall be delayed, or that security shall be given before that execution takes place.

7. The law officers of our Council of State have alone the right to sign the memorials and petitions which are presented to the Council of Prizes.

8. The crews of vessels belonging to the Powers in alliance with France are represented before the Council of Prizes by the Consul of

their nation, or by any other agent which their Government appoints.

9. The foreign consular agents may offer to the Council of Prizes any observations which they may think suitable in the interest of their countrymen, but only through the medium of the Government Commissioner.

10. The cost of the Secretary's Office and other additional expenses occasioned by the service of the Council of Prizes are charged on the funds of the Pensioners of the Navy.

11. The provisions of the Decree of the Consuls, of the 6th germinal, year VIII, and of the other regulations not contrary to our present Decree are maintained.

Articles 9, 10, and 11 of the Decree of 6 Germinal, year VIII, are nevertheless annulled.

12. Our Ministers, Secretaries of State for the Department of Foreign Affairs and for the Department of the Marine are charged with the execution of the present Decree.

Done at the Palace of the Tuileries, the 9th of May, 1859.

(Signed) NAPOLEON.

By the Emperor,

(Signed) HAMELIN,
Minister Secretary of State for the
Department of the Marine.

(Signed) WALEWSKI,
Minister Secretary of State of the
Department of Foreign Affairs.

(Translation.)

*Regulations of the Imperial Council of Prizes.
Passed the 4th June, 1859.*

ART. 1. The documents transmitted by Ministers to the Council of Prizes, the petitions, memorials, and papers produced by parties con-

cerned must be deposited in the Office of the Secretary of the Council and entered in a register, according to the order of their date, as well as the transmission of them to the Rapporteur.

ART. 2. The President nominates the Rapporteur for each case ; he specifies which are considered urgent, either from their nature or from special circumstances.

ART. 3. The date of the distribution of the cases, with an indication of their nature, is entered in a private register at the disposal of the President during the sitting.

ART. 4. The Rapporteurs must present their reports with the least possible delay, and in the order determined by the President.

The reports must be drawn up in writing.

Whenever a case requires a supplementary examination, or may give rise to communications, the Rapporteur must confer with the Council thereon at the beginning of the first sitting which follows the delivery of the papers into his hands.

After the decision of the Council, the correspondence relative to the case is signed by the Government Commissioner ; the orders of service (soit communiqué) are signed by the President.

ART. 5. The advocates of the parties may take cognizance of the documents relating to the case, with the permission of the President, without displacing them, and within the time allowed them.

ART. 6. When the examination of a case is complete, the report, as well as all the documents, are deposited by the Rapporteur in the office of the Secretary of the Council.

The Secretary-Registrar transmits them immediately to the Government Commissioner, who, after having taken note of the papers, returns them, with his opinions in writing, to the Secre-

tary-Registrar, whose duty it is to forward them to the Rapporteur, and to give notice thereof to the President. The Rapporteur submits the case to the Council with a draft decision.

ART. 7. When the documents relating to a case have been transmitted to the office of the Secretary of the Council of Prizes, the Council fixes, if necessary, on the opinions of the Government Commission, and on the advice of the Rapporteur, the period after which it will proceed to give judgment, but that period must not exceed those which are fixed by Article 13 of the Decree of 6 Germinal, year VIII.

ART. 8. Members of the Council sit according to the order of their nomination.

The votes after the discussion of each case are collected by the President in the same order.

ART. 9. In case of absence or hindrance, the President's place is taken by the member of the Council who sits immediately below him.

ART. 10. The Commissary of the Government, independently of his opinions given in writing, is allowed to offer his observations at every stage of the discussion.

The Secretary-Registrar acts as Secretary at all the sittings of the Council.

ART. 11. The Secretary-Registrar draws up a *procès-verbal* in a special register of the cases considered at each sitting, and of the decisions passed by the Council; he makes mention therein of all the members present.

ART. 12. The Minutes of the decisions passed by the Council in each case are drawn up by the Rapporteur, after the deliberation of the Council; they are signed by the Rapporteur, the President, and the Secretary, and transcribed in succession in the Special Register.

The Government Commission has to communi-

cate them to the ministers interested, and to cause them to be notified to the Parties.

The present regulation has been considered and adopted by the Imperial Council of Prizes in the sitting of June 4, 1859.

(Signed) N. DUVERGIER,
President.

(Signed)
A. DELABARRE, Secretary.

(Translation.)

COUNCIL OF PRIZES.

Decree of November 28, 1861.

NAPOLEON, by the Grace of God and the National Will, Emperor of the French, to all present and to come, greeting :

On the Report of Our Ministers, Secretaries of State for the Department of Foreign Affairs, and of Marine :

We have decreed and do decree as follows :—

ART. 1. The Council of Prizes instituted by Our Decree of May 9, 1859, shall decide, throughout the time during which it shall be maintained, upon all demands and disputes relative to the validity of maritime captures, of which the judgment should appertain to the French Authorities.

ART. 2. Our Ministers, Secretaries of State for the Departments of Foreign Affairs and Marine, are charged, each in regard to that part which

concerns him, with the execution of the present Decree.

Done at Compègne, November 28, 1861.

(Signed) NAPOLEON.

By the Emperor :

(Signed) THOUVENEL,

Minister Secretary of State for the Department of Foreign Affairs.

(Signed) CHASSELOUP-LAUBAT,

Minister Secretary of State for the Department of the Navy.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 13,
1870.

Downing Street, September 12, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to nominate General Sir William Fenwick Williams of Kars, Bart., K.C.B., to be appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the City and Garrison of Gibraltar.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, August 29, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel George Bryan Milman to be Major of the Tower of London, in the room of Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Whimper, resigned.

(C. 1063.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 12, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Vienna, inclosing the text of the Convention concluded on the 22nd June last, between Austro-Hungary and the North German Confederation, relative to the abolition of the Elbe Tolls :—

ART. 1. Abolishes all tolls hitherto levied upon vessels and their cargoes, and upon rafts ; and provides that such dues only shall be levied in future, as shall be found necessary for the facilitation of traffic.

ART. 2. Abrogates from the 1st July last all Conventions concluded between the German States, which imposed dues upon vessels navigating the Elbe, or in any other way affected the navigation of that river.

(C. 1087.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 12, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from Her Majesty's Consul at Riga, the subjoined translation of a Notice which has been issued to the Customs Department of that city, relative to the carriage of goods coming from abroad and intended to be sent through Russia to the Austrian and Prussian frontiers :—

(Translation).

“ It has been decided to permit the carriage of foreign goods from Riga to Prussia and Austria, on the general basis of direct transport, viz. :—without visit, in sealed waggons. Such goods must be accompanied to the frontier custom-house by the original bills of lading, and also by a document stating the number of waggons and of seals attached.”

War Office, Pall Mall,
13th September, 1870.

79th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Henry Cooper to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General John Francis Glencairn Campbell, C.B., deceased. Dated 21st August, 1870.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant Sir Archibald Lamb, Bart., to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Arthur Chandos Arkwright, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Francis Johnstone, Gent., to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir A. Lamb, Bart. Dated 14th September, 1870.

4th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant John Sidney Bates to be Captain, by purchase, vice Randolph R. Luscombe, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Cornet Laurence Murphy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bates. Dated 14th September, 1870.

6th Dragoons, Veterinary-Surgeon First Class George Longman, from Veterinary Department, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Owles, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1870.

19th Hussars, Cornet Percy Harry Stanley Barrow to be Lieutenant, vice Charles John Prinsep, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant Francis James Mortimer (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice H. Stevenson, deceased. Dated 29th July, 1870.

Serjeant-Major Richard Green to be Quartermaster, vice R. McCallum, deceased. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Charles W. Pakenham to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Henry William Verschoyle, deceased. Dated 21st August, 1870.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable Everard Henry Primrose to be Lieutenant and Captain, without purchase, vice Pakenham. Dated 21st August, 1870.

1st Foot, Captain Morgan James O'Connell to be Major, without purchase, vice G. F. Berry, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th September, 1870.

2nd Foot, Captain Henry Waring, from Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Thomas Francis Beamish, deceased. Dated 25th May, 1870.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Henry Ingram, from 63rd Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain Alexander Baird, transferred to the 76th Foot. Dated 14th September, 1870.

8th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Edmund William Birch Hope, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William George Wolfe Macbay, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th September, 1870.

9th Foot, Captain John Gillespie, from the 96th Foot, to be Captain, vice William Parker Terry, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 14th September, 1870.

11th Foot, Ensign Dirk Gwysbert Barry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Lloyd Lewis, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th September, 1870.

13th Foot, Lieutenant G. Kemmis to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Richard F. King, who resigns

that appointment. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Lieutenant A. C. Cunningham to be Instructor of Musketry, vice G. Kemmis, appointed Adjutant. Dated 14th September, 1870.

20th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Edward Hussey to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Gethin, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Ensign Robert Constable Paull to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hussey. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Bowen, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Paull. Dated 14th September, 1870.

21st Foot, Ensign Edmund Francis Braine, from the 91st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Frederic Melkington Stow, who exchanges. Dated 14th September, 1870.

35th Foot, Ensign Charles Henry Sampson, from 37th Foot, to be Ensign, vice J. H. Layard, transferred to the 37th Foot. Dated 14th September, 1870.

37th Foot, Ensign Julian Henry Layard, from the 35th Foot, to be Ensign, vice C. H. Sampson, transferred to the 33rd Foot. Dated 14th September, 1870.

52nd Foot, Paymaster Frank Potter, from the late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Paymaster, vice John Robert Wilton, transferred to the 54th Foot. Dated 14th September, 1870.

59th Foot, Ensign John Thomas Acton Drought to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice James George Bruce, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1870.

63rd Foot, Ensign Charles John Sherer Whittall,

- from 28th Foot, to be Ensign. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- Quartermaster Frederick Piper, from half-pay late Depôt Battalion, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major Henry Ingram, transferred to 2nd Foot. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- 34th Foot, Ensign Robert Barrington Baker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dudley Henry Seymour Smith, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- 32nd Foot, Lieutenant William Leir, from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Lieutenant, vice Arthur Edward Simmonds Roberts, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- 39th Foot, Ensign Alexander Macauley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alfred John Le Cornu, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- 91st Foot, Ensign William Reginald Houison Craufurd to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ewan John Christian, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- Ensign Frederic Melkington Stow, from the 21st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Edmund Francis Braine, who exchanges. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- Gentleman Cadet Thomas Fraser King, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Craufurd. Dated 14th September, 1870.
- 96th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George F. Campbell Bray to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel William Andrew M. Barnard, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Captain Edmund John Scovell to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Bray. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Lieutenant John Gillespie to be Captain, by purchase, vice Scovell. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Ensign Edmund Robert Berkeley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gillespie. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas Moore-Lane Lawder, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Berkeley. Dated 14th September, 1870.

99th Foot, Lieutenant Kearns Deane Tanner to be Captain, by purchase, vice Pearce O'Reilly, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Ensign Robert Benjamin Cotton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Tanner. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Veterinary Department, Veterinary Surgeon, First Class, Thomas Paton, from late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Veterinary Surgeon, First Class, vice Longman, appointed to the 6th Dragoons. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Half Pay, Major George Frederick Berry, from 1st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Admiralty, 10th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain George Le Geyt Bowyear, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List from the 9th instant, and

Lieutenant Arthur Alexander Lee has been placed on the Retired List from the 17th July last.

Admiralty, 12th September, 1870.

Mr. Charles Kemp has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Carpenter in Her Majesty's Fleet, for special services, with seniority of 11th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Clackmannan.

Highland Borderers' Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Robert W. Cullen to be Captain.
Dated 6th April, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland Regiment of Militia.

John Phillips, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Hubert Plunkett Burke to be Captain.
Dated 5th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Clarence Horatio Cary, of the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd September, 1870.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 16,
 1870.

Whitehall, September 14, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to order a writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for summoning William Gordon Cornwallis Eliot, Esq. (commonly called Lord Eliot), to the House of Peers, by the style and title of Baron Eliot, of St. Germans, in the county of Cornwall.

Foreign Office, September 14, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Baron Caila as Consul in the Island of Mauritius for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Claudius B. Webster as Consul at Sheffield for the United States of America.

Crown Office, September 14, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
 PARLIAMENT.

County of Surrey.

Western Division.

Lee Steere, of Jayes Ockley, in the county of Surrey, Esq., in the room of John Ivatt Briscoe, Esq., deceased.

(C. 1093.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 15, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Barcelona, reporting that yellow fever has broken out in that port, and that consequently the bills of health issued thereat will be considered foul.

(C. 1094.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 15, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Munich, reporting that the Bavarian Minister of Commerce has issued a notification prohibiting the transit and exportation of horses across the frontiers of the Zollverein.

The same prohibition had previously been decreed against the exportation and transit of arms, munitions of war, lead, sulphur, and salt-petre.

War Office, Pall Mall,

16th September, 1870.

Scots Fusilier Guards.

General Sir John Aitchison, G.C.B., from the 72nd Foot, to be Colonel, vice Field-Marshal Sir Alexander Woodford, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., deceased. Dated 27th August, 1870.

27th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Randal Rumley to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General J. R. Craufurd, transferred to the Colonelcy of the 91st Foot. Dated 27th August, 1870.

72nd Regiment of Foot.

General Charles George James Arbuthnot, from the 91st Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Sir John Aitchison, G.C.B., transferred to the Colonelcy of the Scots Fusilier Guards. Dated 27th August, 1870.

91st Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General James Robertson Craufurd, from the 27th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Charles G. J. Arbuthnot, transferred to the Colonelcy of the 72nd Foot. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Staff, Lieutenant-General Sir Richard Airey, G.C.B., at present Governor and Commander-in-Chief at Gibraltar, to be Adjutant-General to the Forces, vice Lieutenant-General Lord William Paulet, K.C.B., whose period of service has expired. Dated 1st October, 1870.

*Admiralty, 14th September, 1870.*

To be Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet :
Samuel Clift, with seniority of 28th August, 1870.

To be Assistant-Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet :

Algernon William Winn, confirmed with seniority of 9th November, 1868.

Charles Frederick Kennan Murray, confirmed with seniority of 17th August, 1869.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Merioneth.*

Edward Morris Davies, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

2nd Warwickshire Militia.

Charles Stuart Wheler, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Watling, resigned. Dated 14th September, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Southampton.*

Hampshire Militia.

William Shalden Smith, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th September, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

South Devon Militia.

Cecil K. Rogers to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Thomas Snow receiving a step of honorary rank in consideration of his long services, and his being permitted to wear the uniform of the 1st Devon Yeomanry Cavalry. Dated 25th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

*Royal East Kent Yeomanry Cavalry
(Mounted Rifles).*

Francis Alexander Mackinnon, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Oxenham, resigned. Dated 20th May, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain J. A. D. Philipps, of the Cardigan Regiment of Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 12th August, 1870.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Major B. Harrison in the Westmorland Regiment of Militia, and in consideration of his service to approve of his retaining his rank and wearing the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 9th August, 1870.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 20,
1870.*

St. James's Palace, September 19, 1870.

THE Chapel Royal St. James's will be reopened for Divine Service on Sunday next, September 25th.

FRANCIS GARDEN, Sub-Dean.

Foreign Office, September 16, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Conte Rodolfo Pandolfini as Consul in Ireland, to reside at Dublin, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

(C. 1098.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 19, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Malaga, reporting that in consequence of the official declaration of the existence of yellow fever at Barcelona, the Board of Health of Malaga has resolved :—

That vessels which have sailed from Barcelona with clean bills of health at any date prior to the 20th of August last, shall be sent away to Almeira or Cadiz to perform a quarantine of observation for the term of three days; and that vessels which have sailed from Barcelona on or after the 20th August, shall be dismissed to one of the foul lazarets of Port Mahon or Vigo, for the performance of a rigorous quarantine, with fumigation, purification, and ventilation of the cargo, effects, and persons on board.

(C. 1104.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 19, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, an extract from the "Journal Officiel," which contains the following Decree issued by the Govern-

ment of the National Defence on the 9th instant:—

“Until further notice, arms of every description and cartridges, loaded or unloaded, are freed from all Customs duty, and may be imported at any Custom-house in France.”

(C. 1105.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 19, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, an extract from the “Journal Officiel,” which contains the following Decree, issued by the Government of the National Defence:—

ART. 1. The printing and bookselling trades are declared free.

ART. 2. Any person wishing to exercise one of these trades must make a simple declaration to that effect at the Ministry of the Interior.

ART. 3. All publications must bear the name of the printer.

ART. 4. All questions which may arise in connection with copyright, will be finally provided for according to the results of the present Decree.

(C. 1106.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 19, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, an extract from the “Journal Officiel,” which contains the following Decree, relative to commercial

and other bills, which has been issued by the Government of National Defence :—

ART. 1. The delay accorded by the Law of the 30th August last to commercial bills, is hereby further extended by thirty days, counting from the 14th September instant.

Art. 2. All the other provisions of the Law of the 13th August will remain in force.

(C. 1112.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 19, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that in consequence of the appearance of cholera at Taganrog, in the Sea of Azov, all vessels arriving therefrom in Spanish ports, with a foul Bill of Health, will have to undergo ten days quarantine, if there shall have been no casualty on board during the voyage; if, however, there shall have been a case of sickness on board, the term of quarantine will be extended to fifteen days.

Admiralty, 16th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant George Robert Thornhill has been placed on the Retired List from the 9th instant, and has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander from that date.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

Charles Cecil Cotes, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th July, 1870.

William Arden, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th July, 1870.

3rd King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Lieutenant Basil Thomas Fitzherbert to be Captain, vice Tayleur, resigned. Dated 20th August, 1870.

William Moreton Philips, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st September, 1870.

Charles Edward Lyon, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st September, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Fife.*

Fifeshire Artillery Militia.

Charles Congalton Bethune, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

*2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of
Middlesex Militia.*

James Lethbridge Brooke Templer to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st September, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Henry Grattan Wilson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1870.

William Ivor Williams, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.

West Norfolk Militia.

John Campbell, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Groncock, resigned. Dated 12th September, 1870.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 20,
1870.

Foreign Office, September 22, 1870.

IT is hereby notified, that the Right Honorable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has on this day received from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, the copy of an official communication from Monsieur Jules Favre, that the Blockade of the Coast of Prussia and the North German Confederation in the North Sea by the French Naval Forces, has been raised.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 23,
 1870.

Colonial Office, Downing Street,
September 21, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class or Companions of the said Order :—

William Osborne Smith, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel of the Militia in the Dominion of Canada, and Deputy Adjutant-General of Militia, Fifth District, in that Dominion.

Archibald McEachern, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel of the Militia in the Dominion of Canada, Commanding the 50th Huntingdon Borderers in that Dominion.

Brown Chamberlin, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel of the Militia in the Dominion of Canada, and Commanding the 60th Missisquoi Battalion in that Dominion.

John Fletcher, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel of the Militia in the Dominion of Canada, and Brigade Major of Saint John's Militia, Brigade District, in that Dominion.

Foreign Office, September 22, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. N. H. Heydemann as Vice-Consul at Bradford for the North German Confederation.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Jules Renard as Consul at Melbourne for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. James F. Turnbull as Consul for South Australia, to reside at Adelaide, for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

Crown Office, September 23, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Shrewsbury.

Douglas Straight, Esq., in the room of William James Clement, Esq., deceased.

War Office, Pall Mall,

23rd September, 1870.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, James Walter, Viscount Grimston, to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir Simon Macdonald Lockhart, Bart., promoted. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Gerard Smith to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel William Aitchison, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign and Lieutenant Leopold James Yorke Campbell Scarlett, to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Smith. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Henry Pakenham-Mahon, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Scarlett. Dated 24th September, 1870.

- 1st Foot*, Ensign William Arthur Broome, from 1st West India Regiment, to be Ensign, vice John Robert Hall Wilton, who exchanges. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- 2nd Foot*, Captain Rupert George Brady to be Major, without purchase, vice F. Connor, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- 6th Foot*, Lieutenant James Ruddell Gibbs to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant C. E. W. Roworth, promoted to half-pay Captain. Dated 30th August, 1870.
- 12th Foot*, Lieutenant Alexander Evans Gordon has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- 13th Foot*, Lieutenant John Moutray Read to be Captain, by purchase, vice Andrew George Onslow, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- Ensign Frederick Charles Caldwell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Read. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- 15th Foot*, Captain Frederick Flowers, from 37th Foot, to be Captain, vice Hugh Mackenzie, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- Ensign Frederick Seymour Allen to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Arthur Bowles, whose promotion, on the 27th August, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 24th September, 1870.
- 17th Foot*, Captain Frederick Sale Sowley Brind, from half-pay, late 19th Foot, to be Captain, vice Lambart Francis Wilson Dwyer, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 24th September, 1870.

19th Foot, Lieutenant James Butler has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign John Corse-Scott has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1870.

33rd Foot, Lieutenant George Malcolm Douglas to be Captain, by purchase, vice John James Greenwood, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign Francis Robert Maunsell Day to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Douglas. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Lieutenant Walter Andrew Wynter to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant G. M. Douglas, promoted. Dated 24th September, 1870.

38th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Charles Burton has been permitted to receive the value of a Lieutenancy, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Lieutenant Arthur Coombe Gordon Lydiard has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1870.

40th Foot, Ensign Charles Linton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Arthur Swinhoe, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

44th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Percy Seymour Harvey, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Robert Le Geyt Anderson, whose appointment on 3rd September, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 24th September, 1870.

60th Foot, Ensign Harry Paul Burrard to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Bancho Powys-Keck, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur George Addey Martin, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burrard. Dated 24th September, 1870.

69th Foot, Lieutenant Horace Augustus Thewles to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Palmer Brabazon, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign Harry Aubrey de Vere Maclean to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thewles. Dated 24th September, 1870.

70th Foot, Lieutenant George Young to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles William Howard, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign Francis Frederick Fyler Roupell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Young. Dated 24th September, 1870.

84th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Augustus Gore to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Lionel Maitland Kirwan, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign John Rose to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gore. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign Gerard Charles Neville James to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Robert James Miller, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Ralph Thomas Murphy, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Rose. Dated 24th September 1870.

89th Foot, The Christian name of Assistant Surgeon Ward is *Espine*, and not *Espino*, as printed in the Gazette of 2nd September, 1870.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Francis Gilbert Dyke Acland to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant A. A. A. Kinloch, promoted. Dated 13th July, 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Ensign Alfred Lovell Simons to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Denis Lynch, who retires. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Ensign John Robert Hall Wilton, from 1st Foot, to be Ensign, vice William Arthur Broome, who exchanges. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Frank Gibson Ellis, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Simons. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Control Department, Deputy Commissary-General James Bell Lundy to be Deputy Controller, vice de Fonblanque, placed on the Retired List, Dated 1st January, 1870, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 22nd August, 1870.

Pay Sub Department, The first Christian name of Assistant-Paymaster Lawless is *Edward*, and not *Edmund*, as stated in the Gazette of the 12th August, 1870.

Veterinary Department, James Augustus Wood, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary Surgeon. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Staff, Colonel William Alexander Middleton, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be Deputy Adjutant-General of the Royal Artillery, vice Major-General Gloucester Gambier, C.B., whose period of service on the Staff at Head Quarters has expired. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Shaw, Royal Artillery, to be Assistant Adjutant-General of the Royal Artillery at Head Quarters, vice Colonel W. A. Middleton, C.B., Dated 1st October, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major Frederick Connor, from the 2nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Spalding S. Evans Gordon, from half-pay, Unattached, late Town-Major at Dublin, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major John Breton, from half-pay, Unattached, late Town-Major, Portsmouth, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain Hugh Mackenzie, from the 15th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain George Glascott Newton, from the 12th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain James Pope, from half-pay, 6th Foot, Town-Major, Quebec, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Captain Edward Mackay, from half-pay, late 49th Foot, Town-Major, Kingston, Canada, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Lieutenant Thomas Edward Jones, from half-pay, 4th Foot, Town-Major, St. John's, New Brunswick, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 30th September, 1870.

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Samuel Young, half-pay, late 80th Foot, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 20th July, 1870.

India Office, 21st September, 1870.

HER Majesty has been pleased to dispense with the services of the undermentioned Officer :—
 Captain Trewren Hatton Scott, Bengal Staff Corps.

Admiralty, 21st September, 1870.

George Moore, Esq., M.D., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 17th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 22nd September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Robert George Tufnell has been placed on the Retired List from the 17th instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks, from this date :—

Navigating Lieutenant Edward Hinest.
 Chief Engineer Robert Crosthwaite.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
 County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*4th or Duke of Lancaster's Own (Light Infantry)
 Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.*

William Joynson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated
 9th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.

Norfolk Artillery Militia.

Edward Roger Murray Pratt, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Bradshaw, resigned. Dated 19th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Edward Carrier Smith Tompson to be Captain, vice Wykeham, resigned. Dated 19th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Captain Robert Heane to be Major, vice Probyn, resigned. Dated 13th September, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

2nd Royal Tower Hamlets (Queen's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

Captain Ardwick Burgess to be Major, vice Knox, resigned. Dated 20th August, 1870.
Sir Gilbert Edward Campbell, Bart., late Lieutenant 92nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Mackeson, resigned. Dated 20th August, 1870.

William Fawcett Brunskill, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Stock, resigned. Dated 20th August, 1870.

John William Walter Whitcomb, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th August, 1870.

Alfred William Collis Browne, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Le Patourel, resigned. Dated 20th August, 1870.

Thomas Tristram S. Carlyon, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th August, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York and of the City and County of the City of York.

3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

Edward Douglas Prothero, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Bottomley, promoted. Dated 8th September, 1870.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Thomas Robert Kennion, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice J. Newton, deceased. Dated 19th August, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Prothero, of the 3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 12th September, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Wenlock bearing the title of Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant of the Hussar (Princess of Wales's Own) Regiment of Yorkshire West Riding Yeomanry Cavalry, vice the Earl of Harewood, resigned.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Samuel Bolton Edenborough to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Hamilton, resigned. Dated 16th September, 1870.

Lieutenant Frederick Edenborough to be Captain, vice Samuel Bolton Edenborough, promoted. Dated 16th September, 1870.

Cornet Henry Merivale Trollope to be Lieutenant, vice Frederick Edenborough, promoted. Dated 16th September, 1870.

Cornet Frederick Charles Moojen to be Lieutenant, vice Williams, resigned. Dated 16th September, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Richard Grosvenor bearing the title of Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant of the Dorsetshire Yeomanry Cavalry, vice Lord Digby, resigned. Dated 20th September, 1870.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 23,
1870.

Foreign Office, September 26, 1870.

IT is hereby notified, that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has on this

day received from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Tours, the copy of an Official Note of the 21st instant, from the French Foreign Department, announcing that the Blockade of the German Ports in the Baltic Sea has been completely raised by the French Squadron.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 27,
1870.

Foreign Office, August 12, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint James Mongan, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Tientsin, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Tientsin and Peking.

Board of Trade, September 24, 1870.

THE Board of Trade have received through Her Majesty's Consul at Bordeaux, a copy of an Order, published by the Chief Naval authority at that port to the effect that all vessels ascending the River Garonne must heave to, or stop, in passing an ironclad floating battery called the "Embuscade," stationed off Lagrange, about ten miles below Bordeaux.

Board of Trade, September 26, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have been informed by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs that Her Majesty's Consul-General at Naples has reported that, in consequence of the war, it has been determined that the opening of

the International Maritime Exhibition at Naples, which was to have taken place at the beginning of this month, is deferred to the month of December.

War Office, Pall Mall,
27th September, 1870.

Coast Brigade, Royal Artillery, Serjeant-Major Alfred Rainbird to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, for employment in the Department of the Director of Artillery and Stores. Dated 1st September, 1870.

Royal Hospital, Chelsea, General Sir John Lysaght Pennefather, G.C.B., to be Governor, vice Field-Marshal Sir Alexander Woodford, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 24th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has this day been placed on the Retired List:—

Chief Engineer Edward Lewis.

To be Chief Boatswains in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th September, 1870:

Charles Beaton.

William H. Cruys.

John Sullivan, V.C.

Edmund Layton.

To be Chief Carpenters in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th September, 1870:

John Brown.

John Pollard.

Admiralty, 26th September, 1870.

The undermentioned promotion has this day been made in the hauling-down vacancy of Admiral Sir Alexander Milne, K.C.B., late Commander-in-Chief on the Mediterranean Station :—
Lieutenant Charles Noel Hoare to be Commander, with seniority from the 19th instant.

The undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineers :—

John Anderson Wilson, with seniority of 24th instant.

Edward Ingledew, with seniority of this date.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on letters and packets of patterns, &c., transmitted by the post between the United Kingdom, or any British colony or foreign country viâ the United Kingdom and Spain, the Balearic or the Canary Islands.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 30,
1870.

Duchy of Cornwall, September 29, 1870.

THE Prince of Wales has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal of the Duchy of Cornwall appointing Herbert William Fisher, Esq., of the Inner Temple, Barrister-at-Law, to be Vice-Warden of the Stannaries, in the place of Sir Edward Smirke, resigned.

Marlborough House, September 29, 1870.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint Francis Knollys, Esq., to be Private Secretary to His Royal Highness, in the place of Herbert W. Fisher, Esq., resigned.

Marlborough House, September 29, 1870.

The Princess of Wales has been pleased to appoint Maurice Holzmann, Esq., German Secretary and Librarian to the Prince of Wales, to be Private Secretary to Her Royal Highness, in the place of Herbert W. Fisher, Esq., resigned.

By virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes ;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess ;"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable William Brodrick, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the Middle Division of the county of Surrey, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of summons

hath been issued to him, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to Parliament ; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Division of the county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twenty-ninth day of September, 1870.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

(C. 1135.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 29, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received intelligence, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, that, in consequence of the occupation of the Roman Provinces by the Italian Troops, the line of Custom-houses between those Provinces and the Italian Kingdom has been abolished ; and that the Italian Government has taken measures for establishing their Customs Authorities along the seaboard of the Pontifical States.

(C. 1140.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 29, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting British Consul at Leghorn, reporting that all vessels arriving at that port from any Spanish port, Gibraltar included, that have taken ten days to perform the voyage, and have no case of sickness on

board, will be liable to ten days quarantine :—all vessels that have taken less than ten days to perform the voyage will be liable to fifteen days quarantine, to be undergone at Leghorn, if there is no case of sickness on board, but if there be sickness, the same period, viz., fifteen days quarantine will have to be performed at the Lazaretto of Varignano.

(C. 1137.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 29, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Notice issued by the Roumanian Government, and dated 8th September, 1870, which decrees that

“In consequence of the outbreak of cholera in the Russian Empire, and more especially at Odessa and Taganrog, the Government has established a quarantine of ten days at all the points of communication between Roumania and the Russian Empire, both by land and sea.”

“Vessels entering by Sulina, and having a clean bill of health, are alone exempted from quarantine.”

*War Office, Pall Mall,
30th September, 1870.*

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Charles Villiers Ibbetson, from the 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice William Walter Patrick Joyce, who exchanges. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas John Peatfield to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice

George Scott Davie, M.D., who exchanges.
Dated 1st October, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Henry Edward Colville, Gent.,
to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice
the Honourable Everard Henry Primrose, pro-
moted. Dated 1st October, 1870.

2nd Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Captain
George Blurton to have the honorary rank of
Major. Dated 27th July, 1870.

9th Foot, Captain Charles Caldwell Grantham,
from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain,
vice Brevet-Major Henry John Wilkinson, pro-
moted half-pay Major. Dated 1st October,
1870.

12th Foot, Captain George James Gordon, from
the 24th Foot, to be Captain, vice George G.
Newton, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 1st
October, 1870.

16th Foot, Lieutenant John Lloyd Price to be
Captain, by purchase, vice Leonard Ball
Anderson Poynter, who retires. Dated 1st
October, 1870.

Ensign Henry Herman Napier Martin to be Lie-
utenant, by purchase, vice Price. Dated 1st
October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick Deffield Welchman,
from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign,
by purchase, vice Martin. Dated 1st October,
1870.

17th Foot, Captain Artemus Thomas Aglen, from
the 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice William
Tyler Stuart, promoted half-pay Major. Dated
1st October, 1870.

24th Foot, Captain William John Macknight
Crawfurd to be Major, by purchase, vice Wil-

liam Vesey Munnings, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Lieutenant George James Gordon to be Captain, by purchase, vice Crawford. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Ensign William Sugden to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles A. Hewitt, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Ensign William Osmund Oslear to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gordon. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Fitzhardinge Robert Bayfield Liebenrood, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sugden. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet John William Edward Angelo, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Oslear. Dated 2nd October, 1870.

30th Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Albert d'Arifat Norris, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Nash Leader, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

40th Foot, Ensign John Pass to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Reginald Pretor, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

53rd Foot, Ensign Francis Cheyney Hare to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Reed Carr, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

54th Foot, Lieutenant William Walter Patrick Joyce, from the 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice C. S. Ibbetson, who exchanges. Dated 1st October, 1870.

62nd Foot, Quartermaster Charles Lenton, from half-pay, late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be

Quartermaster, vice James Gamble, who retires on half-pay. Dated 1st October, 1870.

63rd Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Robert Le Geyt Anderson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Luke Camden Wheeler, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

67th Foot, Captain George Fletcher Coward, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major A. H. Coney, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 1st October, 1870.

81st Foot, Gentleman Cadet Arthur Joshua Tetley, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John William Flood, who retires. Dated 1st October, 1870.

95th Foot, Captain John Richardson Pearson, from the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Captain, vice John Sexton, who exchanges. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Medical Department, Assistant-Surgeon George Scott Davie, M.D., from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas John Peatfield, who exchanges. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Staff, Major-General Frederic Paul Haines, at present employed at Head Quarters on particular service, to be Quartermaster-General, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Hope Grant, G.C.B. Dated 1st November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Spalding S Evans Gordon, half-pay, late 23rd Foot, to be Governor and Commandant of the Royal Victoria Hospital, at Netley, vice Major-General Richard Wilbraham, C.B., who has

resigned that appointment. Dated 13th August, 1870.

Half-Pay, Captain and Brevet-Major Arthur Henry Coney, from 67th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Captain Frederick J. Hutchison, from 64th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain William James Ross, from 1st West India Regiment, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Wright Marten, 7th Foot, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Quartermaster James Gamble, retired on half-pay late 62nd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st October, 1870.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers have been granted honorary rank :—

To have the honorary rank of Captain.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Daniel Connell, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st April, 1870.

To have the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary Patrick Walsh, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary Edward Nue, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st April, 1870.

The following Deputy Assistant-Commissaries to have the honorary rank of Ensign :—

John Copeland, Bengal Establishment. Dated 14th March, 1870.

George Judd, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st April, 1870.

John Clabby, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Daniel Lissenburg, Madras Establishment. Dated 17th May, 1870.

Sub-Conductor Peter Keay, Head Master of the Thomason College at Roorkee, to have the honorary rank of Ensign. Dated 1st October, 1870.

India Office, 29th September, 1870.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admission to the Staff Corps made by the several Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain Herbert William Shoubridge, Bengal Infantry. Dated 31st December, 1868.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Harenc, 5th Lancers. Dated 5th May, 1863.

Lieutenant Thomas James Bailey, 88th Regiment. Dated 22nd June, 1869.

Lieutenant Francis Charles Burton, 38th Regiment. Dated 29th July, 1867.

Ensign James Butler, 19th Regiment. Dated 17th September, 1868.

Lieutenant William Hutt Curzon Wyllie, 106th Regiment. Dated 5th October, 1868.

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Lieutenant Arthur Coombe Gordon Lydiard, 38th Regiment. Dated 19th February, 1869.

Ensign Francis Neilson Chalmers, 79th Regiment. Dated 22nd February, 1869.

Lieutenant George Lloyd Reilly Richardson, 38th Regiment. Dated 5th March, 1869.

Ensign George Frederick Young, 79th Regiment. Dated 30th March, 1869.

Lieutenant Alexander Evans Gordon, 12th Regiment. Dated 2nd April, 1869.

Lieutenant Dudley Elphinston Gouldsbury, 105th Regiment. Dated 17th April, 1869.

Cornet Jacob Peter Deneys Vanrenen, 3rd Hussars. Dated 24th April, 1869.

Ensign John Corse Scott, 19th Regiment. Dated 13th May, 1869.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Tilson Shaw Magan, Madras Infantry. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant George Lecky, Madras Infantry. Dated 30th December, 1862.

Lieutenant Alexander Clark - Kennedy, 21s Fusiliers. Dated 15th November, 1864.

Lieutenant Thomas Price, 103rd Regiment. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Cornet Joseph Henry Newill, 2nd Dragoon Guards. Dated 7th November, 1868.

Ensign William George Currie Johnstone, 10th Regiment. Dated 18th May, 1869.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Francis Corbet Singleton, Bombay Infantry. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant Macclesfield Forbes Coussmaker, Bombay Infantry. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Lieutenant Stanley Carter, Bombay Infantry. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Lieutenant Stephen Babington, Bombay Infantry. Dated 14th December, 1862.

Lieutenant Henry Stratford Tandy, Bombay Infantry. Dated 4th October, 1863.

Lieutenant Frederick Thomas Humfrey, 49th Regiment. Dated 22nd March, 1864.

Lieutenant William Bowman Seton, Bombay Infantry. Dated 16th July, 1864.

Lieutenant William Loch, 104th Regiment. Dated 14th May, 1868.

Ensign Mosley Mayne, 49th Regiment. Dated 31st March, 1869.

Ensign John De Burgh Lynch, 95th Regiment. Dated 5th May, 1869.

Admiralty, 26th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Henry Augustus Clavering has been placed on the Retired List from the 9th instant.

Admiralty, 29th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

The Reverend John Erskine, M.A., Chaplain, has been placed on the Retired List from the 15th instant.

*Queen's Commission.**Royal Denbigh Militia.*

John Barnett Barker, Esq., late Captain 75th Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 1st June, 1870, vice McCoy, who has been placed from that date on a retired allowance, with the rank of Major. Dated 12th August, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant John Barnett Barker, of the Royal Denbigh Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 27th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant Frederick Lewis Roy to be Captain, vice Suttie, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

1st Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Henry Edward Harbin, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Maclean, promoted. Dated 17th September, 1870.

Henry Alfred Walsh, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Bridge, promoted. Dated 19th September, 1870.

Henry de Courcy Rawlins, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Adair, resigned. Dated 20th September, 1870.

Marcus Henry Shee, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Meade-King, promoted. Dated 21st September, 1870.

2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Major Alexander William Adair to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Boyle, resigned.
Dated 12th September, 1870.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant John Wedgwood Yeeles to be Captain, vice Tudway, resigned. Dated 27th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Yeomanry Cavalry.

Dr. Arthur Priest to be Surgeon. Dated 16th September, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant John Jebb Meynell in the 1st Derbyshire Regiment of Militia.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel William Assheton Cross being granted the honorary rank of Colonel, and Captain Luke Henry Hansard being granted the honorary rank of Major of the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia. Dated 17th September, 1870.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette repealing all warrants made previously to 30th September, 1870, relating to the transmission by post of newspapers, book packets, or pattern or sample packets between places within the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man.

Rules and Regulations are published in this Gazette relating to the inland transmission by post of newspapers, book packets, pattern and sample packets, and post cards.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 4,
 1870.

Downing Street, October 4, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to nominate the Honourable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, C.M.G., to be appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Mauritius and its Dependencies.

Foreign Office, August 31, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Russell Brooke Robertson, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Yedo, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Yokohama.

(C. 1144.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 3, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that the privileges in matters of quarantine, which were granted in December, 1868, to vessels carrying passengers, correspondence, and

merchandise from Ports in the Spanish West Indies and the Gulf of Mexico to the Peninsula, have been revoked.

War Office, Pall Mall,
4th October, 1870.

Control Department.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department.

Deputy Commissary Thomas Sutton Marshall to be Commissary on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Deputy Commissary Edward Charles Saunder to be Commissary on the Supernumerary List, vice Commissary Barlee, deceased. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Deputy Commissary Frederick Casolani to be Commissary on the Supernumerary List. Dated 23rd August, 1870.

Deputy Commissary George Ignatius Pirkis to be Commissary. Dated 7th July, 1870.

Deputy Commissary Henry Horatio Rathbone Hewitt to be Commissary. Dated 7th August, 1870.

Assistant Commissary W. G. Boyes to be Deputy Commissary, vice Pirkis. Dated 7th July, 1870.

Assistant Commissary J. Oxley to be Deputy Commissary, vice Hewitt. Dated 7th August, 1870.

The date of relative rank of Deputy Commissary Samuel Ormsby Rogers is *12th April, 1856*, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 12th August, 1870.

The Christian name of Assistant Commissary O'Leary is *Patrick*, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 2nd September, 1870.

Admiralty, 30th September, 1870.

Adolphus Frederic St. Clair, Esq., has been this day promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 19th September, 1870.

Admiralty, 1st October, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers have been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Frederick Foster Morgan, Esq., with seniority of 29th April, 1870.

William Forrest MacClinton, Esq., with seniority of 15th July, 1870.

Admiralty, 3rd October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List from the dates stated against their names :—

Captain John Adolphus Pope Price, from the 1st instant.

Commander John Morris Bushell, from the 29th ultimo.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

*Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry
Regiment of Militia.*

Lieutenant Sir David Wedderburn, Bart., to be Captain, vice Hearne, promoted. Dated 30th September, 1870.

William Francis George Guise, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Wedderburn, promoted. Dated 30th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

James Granville Sharp, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Militia.

Allan Macnab Davenport, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Governor and Captain of the Isle of Wight.

Isle of Wight Artillery Militia.

The Honourable Frederick Standish O'Grady to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 21st September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Militia.

Warwick Falkland Pryon, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 21st September, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant Sir Colman Rashleigh, Bart., being granted a step of honorary rank of Colonel, and Major Sir Charles Brune

Graves Sawle, Bart., being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel of the Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners' Artillery Militia. Dated 22nd September, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major William Reed being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel of the 1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel William L. Grant, of the 1st Tower Hamlets Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 28th September, 1870.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain and Adjutant W. Pitt Draffen in the Royal Westmorland Militia. Dated 22nd September, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 7,
1870.

(C. 1132.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, a translation of a Notice issued by the Danish Government, removing the prohibition which was imposed, on the 27th July last, upon the export from and transit through Denmark of horses.

(C. 1156.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government declaring the port of Gibraltar suspected of yellow fever.

(C. 1157.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Palermo, reporting that in consequence of the appearance of yellow fever at Barcelona and other ports of Spain, the Sanitary Authorities of Palermo have imposed a quarantine of five days on all vessels arriving from that country and from Gibraltar.

(C. 1160.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul at Rome, a copy of a Decree which has been issued by the Provisional Government, abolishing the import duties hitherto levied upon agricultural produce and manufactures arriving from the Kingdom of Italy.

(C. 1054.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 6, 1870.

'THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Washington, inclosing a copy of an Act of Congress, approved by the President of the United States on the 14th July last, entitled "An Act to reduce internal taxes and for other purposes."

In accordance with the provisions of Section 21 of this Act, on and after 1st January, 1871, the following alterations will take place in the rate of Import Duty levied in the United States upon the undermentioned articles:—

ARTICLES.	Duty according to			
	Former Tariff.		Act of July 14, 1870.	
	dollars	cents	dollars	cents
Teas	0	15
Coffee	0	03
Cocoa	0	02
Cocoa leaves	0	01

Prepared cocoa	...	...	0	05
Molasses	...	...	0	05
Tank-bottom sirup of sugar cane	...	...	0	05
juice, melada, concentrated me-	...	...	0	05
lada and concentrated molasses	...	...	0	05
All raw or muscovado sugar not	...	...	0	05
above No. 7, Dutch standard in	...	...	0	05
colour	...	...	0	05
All raw or muscovado sugar above	...	...	0	05
No. 7, Dutch standard in colour,	...	...	0	05
and all other sugars not above	...	...	0	05
No. 10, Dutch standard in	...	...	0	05
colour	...	...	0	05
All other sugars above No. 10 and	...	...	0	05
not above No. 13, Dutch stand-	...	...	0	05
ard in colour	...	...	0	05
All other sugars above No. 13,	...	...	0	05
Dutch standard in colour, and not	...	...	0	05
above No. 16, Dutch standard in	...	...	0	05
colour	...	...	0	05

ARTICLES.	Dnty according to			
	Former Tariff.		Act of July 14, 1870.	
	dollars	cents	dollars	cents
All other sugars above No. 16, Dutch standard in colour, and not above No. 20, Dutch stand- ard in colour				
		per lb.		
All sugars above No. 20, Dutch standard in colour, and on all refined loaf, lump, crushed, pow- dered, and granulated sugar ...	0	04	0	03 $\frac{1}{4}$
Wines in cask, value not over 40 cents per gallon	0	05	0	04
Wines in cask, value over 40 cents and not over one dollar	20 cents and 25 per cent.		0	25
Wines in cask, value over one dollar Wines in bottles not otherwise men- tioned	50 cents and 25 per cent. 1 dollar and 25 per cent.		0	60
	same		1 dol. and 25 per cent.	
	same		same	

Champagne and other sparkling wines---	quarts	per doz.	6	00	6	00
"	"	pints	3	00	3	00
"	"	half pints	3	00	1	50
Brandy	...	per proof, gal.	from 3	00 to	2	00
			4	20		
Spirits	...	...	100 per cent.		2	00 per gal.
Cordials and liqueurs	...	per proof, gal.	2	50	2	00
Pimento, black, white, and red or cayenne pepper	...	per lb.	0	15	0	05
Pimento, black, white, and red or cayenne pepper, ground	...	"	0	18	0	10
Ginger root	...	"	0	05	0	02
Ginger ground	...	"	0	08	0	05
Cinnamon	...	"	0	30	0	20
Nutmeg	...	"	0	50	0	20
Mace	...	"	0	40	0	25
Cloves	...	"	0	20	0	05
Clove stems	...	"	0	10	0	03
Cassia and cassia vera	...	"	0	20	0	10

ARTICLES.	Duty according to	
	Former Tariff.	Act of July 14, 1870.
Cassia buds and ground cassia ...	dollars cents 0 25	dollars cents 0 20
All other spices ...	0 20	0 20
" " ground or prepared "	0 20	0 30
Corsets ...	35 per cent.	
" value not over 6 dollars per doz....	...	2 00
" " over 6 dollars per doz. "	...	35 per cent.
Eyelets of every description ... per 1000	Not mentioned.	0 06
Ultramarine ...	25 per cent.	0 06 per lb.
Wools on the skin pay as other wools.		
Flax Straw ...	Not mentioned.	5 00
Flax not hackled or dressed ...	15 00	20 00
" hackled ...	45 00	40 00
Hemp ...	40 00	25 00

Manila and other like substitutes				
for hemp ...	..	..	..	..
Tow of flax ...	..	..	..	..
Cotton bagging, or other manufactures, not otherwise provided for, suitable for the uses to which cotton bagging is applied, composed in whole or in part of hemp, jute, flax, gunny bags, gunny cloth, or other material, and valued at 7 cents or less per square yard ...	..	..	..	per lb.
Valued at over 7 cents per square yard ...	..	..	..	..
Iron in pigs ...	..	..	..	per ton
Cast scrap iron of every description ...	..	..	..	..
Wrought " ...	..	..	..	..
Sword blades ...	..	..	..	ad val.
Swords ...	..	..	..	..

25	00	25	00
5	00	10	00
0	03	0	02
0	03	0	03
9	00	7	00
8	00	6	00
8	00	8	00
45 per cent.	35 per cent.	35	per cent.
35 per cent.	45 per cent.	45	per cent.

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ARTICLES.	Duty according to			
	Former Tariff.		Act of July 14, 1870.	
	dollars	cents	dollars	cents
Steel railway bars, including Bessemer steel			0	01 $\frac{1}{4}$ per lb.
Railway bars made in part of steel	45	per cent.	0	01
Rough or unfinished grindstones	10	per cent.	1	50 per ton
Finished grindstones	20	per cent.	2	00
Freestone, sandstone, granite, and all building or monumental stone, except marble	10	per cent.	1	50
All sawed, dressed, or polished marble, marble slabs, and marble paving tiles not exceeding two inches in thickness...	50	cents per cubic foot and	25	cents per foot and
If over two inches in thickness, ten cents per foot for each additional inch by the present Act. If above six inches in thickness, to be treated as marble block.		20	per cent. ad val.	30 per cent. ad val.

Hair cloth, of the description known
as hair seating, 18 inches wide

or over ad val.

Less than 18 inches

All other hair cloths

Hair pins

Aniline dyes and colours

Buttons made of silk

Ornaments for dresses and outside

garments made of silk

Nickel

Nickel oxide and alloy of nickel

with copper

Watches

Watch cases, watch movements,
parts of watches and watch mate-
rials

Watch jewels

Live animals... ..

30 per cent.

30 per cent.

30 per cent.

35 per cent.

{ 1 dollar per lb. and
35 per cent. ad val. }

40 per cent.

60 per cent.

15 per cent.

15 per cent.

25 per cent.

20 per cent.

25 per cent.

free

40 cents per square yard

30 cents per square yard

30 per cent.

50 per cent.

{ 50 cents per lb. and
35 per cent. ad val. }

50 per cent.

50 per cent.

30 cents per lb.

20 cents per lb.

25 per cent.

25 per cent.

10 per cent.

20 per cent.

ARTICLES.	Dnty according to	
	Former Tariff.	Act of July 14, 1870.
Breeding animals	dollars cents free	dollars cents free
Teams of animals brought by colonists from foreign countries	free	free
Oranges lemons, and pine apples ad val.	25 per cent.	20 per cent.
Limes, bananas, mangoes, and cocoa nuts	25 per cent.	10 per cent.
Zante, or other currants, prunes and plums per lb.	0 05	0 02½
Oil of linseed or flaxseed per gal.	0 23	0 30
Rapeseed per lb.	0 01	0 00½
Linseed or flaxseed per bushel	0 16	0 20
Sesame seed or cenne oil, and cotton seed oil per gall.	not mentioned	0 30
Sesame seed ad val.	" "	10 per cent.

Opium	...	...	per lb.	2	50	1	00
Opium, prepared for smoking	...	...	...	100 per cent. ad val.		6	00 per lb.
Morphia, of all sorts	...	...	per oz.	2	50	1	00
Cotton thread, yarn, warps or warp yarn, not wound upon spools, whether single, or advanced beyond the condition of single by twisting two or more single yarns together, whether on beams or in bundles, skeins or cops, or in any other form, valued at not exceeding forty cents per lb.	...	...	...	4 cents per skein or hank of 840 yards and 30 per cent. ad val.			10 cents per lb. and 20 per cent. ad val.
Over 40 cents and not exceeding 60 cents	...	...	...				20 cents per lb. and 20 per cent. ad val.
60	60	80	...				30 cents per lb. and 20 per cent. ad val.
80	80	...	...				40 cents per lb. and 20 per cent. ad val.
Acid, arsenious, crude	...	...	...	20 per cent. ad val.			free
Acid, nitric, not chemically pure	...	...	...	10 per cent. ad val.			"
Acid, muriatic	...	...	...	10 per cent. ad val.			"

ARTICLES.	Duty according to	
	Former Tariff.	Act of July 14, 1870.
	dollars cents	dollars cents.
Acid, oxalic ...	4 cents per lb.	free
Acid, picric and- and nitropicric ...	not mentioncd	"
Arsenic ...	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Aconite, root leaf and bark	not mentioned	"
Agaric ...	10 per cent. ad val.	"
Alkanet root...	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Alkekengi ...	not mentioned	"
Albumen and lactarine...	25 per cent. ad val.	"
Amber, gum ...	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Aloes ...	6 cents per lb.	"
Aniline oil, crude	50 per cent. ad val.	"
Ammonia, crude	20 per cent.	"
Annato seed ...	20 per cent.	"
Argols, crude	6 cents per lb.	"

Asbestos, not manufactured	...	...	25 per cent. ad val.	“
Bamboos, manufactured	...	...	10 per cent.	“
Barks, Quilla, Peruvian, Lima, Calisaya, and all cinchona barks, Canella alba, pome- granate, croton, cascarilla	...	...	20 per cent.	“
Belladonna, root and leaf	...	...	20 per cent.	“
Bromine ...	...	...	20 per cent.	“
Books which have been printed and manu- factured more than 20 years	...	...	25 per cent.	“
Brimstone, crude	...	...	6 dollars per ton	“
Buchu leaves	...	...	10 cents per lb.	“
Citrate of lime	...	...	20 per cent. ad val.	“
Colombo root	...	...	20 per cent.	“
Cantharides ...	...	...	50 cents per lb.	“
Castor or castoreum	...	...	20 per cent. ad val.	“
Catoechu or cutch	...	...	10 per cent.	“
Catgut or whipgut, unmanufactured	...	...	30 per cent.	“
Coal, anthracite	...	...	40 cents per ton	“
Cocculus indicus	...	...	10 cents per lb.	“
Conian cicutia, or hemlock, seed and leaf	...	...	20 per cent. ad val.	“

ARTICLES.	Duty according to	
	Former Tariff.	Act of July 14, 1870.
Cudbear	dollars cents 10 per cent. "	dollars cents free
Chalk and cliff stone, unmanufactured	10 dollars per ton	"
Corkwood or cork bark	30 per cent. ad val.	"
Cornelian	10 per cent. "	"
Cuttlefish bone	5 cents per lb.	"
Dragon's blood	10 cents per lb.	"
Emery ore or rock	6 dollars per ton	"
Flint and ground flint stones	10 per cent. ad val.	"
Foliæ digitalis	20 per cent. "	"
Fashion plates, engraved on steel or on wood, coloured and plain	45 per cent. "	"
Fur skins of all kinds, not dressed in any manner	10 per cent. "	"
Gums, Arabic, &c.	from 10 to 20 per cent. ad val.	"

Gutta percha, crude	...	...	10 per cent. ad val.	..
Goat skins, raw	...	...	10 per cent.	..
Hoofs, horns, and horn tips	...	...	10 per cent.	..
Henbane leaf	...	...	20 per cent.	..
Iodine, crude	...	...	50 cents per lb.	..
Ipecac	...	...	50 cents per lb	..
India-rubber, crude and milk of	...	...	20 per cent. ad val.	..
Ivory, unmanufactured	...	...	10 per cent.	..
Vegetable ivory	...	...	10 per cent.	..
Jalap	...	...	50 cents per lb.	..
Jet unmanufactured	...	...	35 per cent. ad val.	..
Juniper and laurel berries	...	...	10 per cent.	..
Liquorice root	...	...	2 dollars per lb.	..
Litmus and all lichens, prepared or not	...	...	20 per cent. ad val.	..
Logs and round unmanufactured timber, not otherwise provided for, and ship timber	...	...	20 per cent.	..
Manna	...	...	25 cents per lb.	..
Moss, Iceland, and other mosses, crude	...	...	10 per cent. ad val.	..
Musk and civet, crude	...	...	20 per cent.	..

ARTICLES.	Duty according to	
	Former Tariff.	Act of July 14, 1870.
Nitrate of soda, or cubic niter	dollars cents 20 per cent.	dollars cents free
Ore of antimony, or crude sulphuret of	10 per cent.	"
Orchill, or archill, in the weed or liquid	10 per cent.	"
Palm nuts and palm kernels	2 cents per lb.	"
Phosphates, crude or native, for fertilizing purposes	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Quassia wood	20 per cent.	"
Rhubarb	50 cents per lb.	"
Resins, crude, not otherwise provided for	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Rose leaves	50 cents per lb.	"
Saffron and safflower	10 per cent. ad val.	"
Sarsaparilla, crude	20 per cent.	"
Seaweed	20 per cent.	"
Scammony or resin of scammony	20 per cent.	"

Cardamon seed- ...	...	50 cents per lb.	"
Caraway and coriander ...	...	3 cents "	"
Fenugreek and fennelo ...	...	2 cents "	"
Cummin ...	...	5 cents "	"
Senna in leaves ...	...	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Skeletons and other preparations of anatomy	...	20 per cent. "	"
Squills or silla ...	...	10 per cent. "	"
Tapioca, cassava or cassada ...	...	20 per cent. "	"
Tea plants ...	...	30 per cent. "	"
Turtles ...	...	20 per cent. "	"
Verdigris, or sub-acetate of copper ...	...	6 cents per lb.	"
Woods, viz., poplar and other woods for the manufacture of paper	...	20 per cent. ad val.	"
Worm seed, Levant ...	...	20 per cent. "	"
Xylonite, or xylotile ...	...	20 per cent. "	"

Admiralty, 6th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List from the date hereof :—

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend
John James Glencross Every, B.A.
Assistant Paymaster John Emanuel Charlton,

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Nairn.*

The Right Honourable John Thornton Leslie
Melville, Earl of Leven and Melville, to be
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th September,
1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Essex.*

West Essex Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Glas Sandeman, Esq., of the Queen's Body
Guard, to be Major. Dated 16th September,
1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*4th or Duke of Lancaster's Own (Light Infantry)
Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.*

Frederic Lawrence Boteler, Gent., to be Lieu-
tenant. Dated 24th September, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

Devon Artillery Militia.

Charles Blandford Crease to be Lieutenant.
Dated 9th September, 1870.

1st Devon Militia.

Edmund Reginald Talbot de la Pole to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1870.

Arthur Manley Hill, late 5th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

Walter John Fletcher, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Nugent, resigned. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Montgomery.

Montgomeryshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet T. F. Bulkeley to be Lieutenant, vice Williames, resigned. Dated 29th September, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 11,
1870.

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 7th day of *October*, 1870.

The Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education read and approved of an Order fixing the boundaries of the divisions of the metropolis, with the number of members to be elected by each division, and appointing the returning officer for the first election of the School Board for London and his deputies.

Whitehall, October 8, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir John Young, Bart, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Prince Edward, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Lisgar, of Lisgar and Bailieborough, in the county of Cavan,

Whitehall, October 10, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Peter Robertson to the charge and office of Third Minister of the United Parish of Inverness and Bona, in the presbytery and county of Inverness, vacant by the death of the Reverend John Stewart.

Foreign Office, September 25, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Thomas Lowe, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Civita Vecchia, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Civita Vecchia.

Foreign Office, October 11, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Senor Carlos Andres Carrol as Consul in Saint Helena for the United States of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. T. W. Faulkner as Vice-Consul in the Isle of Wight, to reside at Cowes, for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

Whitehall, October 3, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir Francis George Augustus Fuller, of Buckland Abbey and of Nutwell Court, in the county of Devon, Baronet, late a Captain in the Regiment of Royal Horse Guards, only surviving son and heir of Rose Henry Fuller, late of Ashdown House, in the parish of East Grinstead, in the county of Sussex, Esquire, a Captain in the Royal Navy, the younger brother of Sir Thomas Trayton Fuller-Elliott-Drake (formerly Thomas Trayton Fuller), late of Buckland Abbey and Nutwell Court aforesaid, Baronet, both deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and use the surnames of Elliott and Drake, in addition to and after that of Fuller, and bear the arms of Elliott and Drake quarterly with those of Fuller; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1166.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 10, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that a Sanitary Cordon has been established by the local authorities around the city of Carthagená, by sea and by land, no one being admitted who has not previously undergone a very

rigorous quarantine in a lazaretto. People leaving Carthagea will only be re-admitted under the same conditions.

(C 1175.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 10, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received intelligence through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs from Her Majesty's Consul at Königsberg, that the prohibition imposed upon the exportation of oats from that port has been repealed; and that the lighthouse at Pillau is again illuminated; the harbour, buoys, &c., being restored to their usual state.

(C. 1176.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 10, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, reporting that in consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever at Barcelona, the Greek Government has notified that all vessels arriving from that port will be liable to quarantine, which they will have to perform at the Island of Delos.

(M. 8655.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 10, 1870.*

THE Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Hamburgh, inclosing a Notification, of which the following is a translation,

issued by the Rear-Admiral Commanding in-Chief the Prussian Naval Forces in the Baltic, respecting the re-opening, under certain restrictions, of the harbour of Kiel :—

(Translation).

NOTIFICATION.

*On board H.M.S. "Pr. Adler,"
off Friedrichsort, September 28, 1870.*

WITH the approval of His Excellency General Vogel von Falckenstein, Governor-General of the Coast, the navigation of the harbour of Kiel is hereby re-opened under restrictions ordered by the undersigned Admiral commanding, which appear necessary from the continuance of the war on one hand, and the security of the navigation on the other.

The following regulations are therefore issued and hereby made public :—

1. The passage of the barrier at Friedrichsort can only take place in fair weather and in daylight between sunrise and sunset.
2. Passing vessels are bound to stop at the guardships stationed without and within the barrier, and which carry a distinguishing black and white pennant, in order to receive the necessary instructions from the Commanders and to obtain pilots.
3. Should passing vessels need to be towed, steam tugs will be in readiness for that purpose.
4. The pilots for the barrier and the steam tugs are engaged by the Royal Navy, and have no claim to make for payment.

The foregoing regulations which are merely intended to avoid danger from the numerous lines of torpedoes, and which admit of no exceptions, must be obeyed by the master of every ship entering the harbour.

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ing or leaving the port, no matter under which flag such ships may sail.

(Signed) HELDT.

Rear-Admiral and General Commanding
in the Baltic.

War Office, Pall Mall,
11th October, 1870.

3rd Regiment of Foot.

Major-General the Honourable James Lindsay to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Day Hort Macdowall, deceased. Dated 15th September, 1870.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Captain Goodrich Holmsdale Allfrey to be Major, by purchase, vice Anthony M. Fawcett; who retires. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Lieutenant Arthur Julian Burnett to be Captain, by purchase, vice Allfrey. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Edward Egerton Leigh, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase; in succession to Lieutenant Burnett. Dated 12th October, 1870.

7th Hussars, Major Hugh D'Arcy P. Burnell, from 6th Lancers, to be Major, vice J. Bayley, who exchanges. Dated 12th October, 1870.

16th Lancers, Major John Bayley, from the 7th Hussars, to be Major, vice H. D'A. P. Burnell, who exchanges. Dated 12th October, 1870.

21st Foot, Lieutenant Walter Nowell Carey to be Captain, without purchase, vice John George Image, deceased. Dated 10th August, 1870.

Ensign Anthony Cuthbert Dunn to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Carey. Dated 10th August, 1870.

- 26th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Edward Dobson, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Carpenter, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- 37th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Richard Begbie has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- 46th Foot*, Staff Assistant - Surgeon George Traynor to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Fletcher, promoted. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- 50th Foot*, Ensign Henry R. Worthington to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Robert George Stone Maunsell, who retires. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- 62nd Foot*, Lieutenant William Lane R. Scott, to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major S. G. Carter, promoted. Dated 3rd April, 1870.
- Ensign William Bowlas Williams to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Scott. Dated 3rd April, 1870.
- 64th Foot*, Staff-Surgeon James Bonnyman, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Francis Odell, deceased. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- 68th Foot*, Major James George Clarke, from half-pay, late 46th Foot, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Ughtred Shuttleworth, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- Captain Hugo Shelley Light to be Major, by purchase, vice J. G. Clarke, who retires. Dated 12th October, 1870.
- Lieutenant Richard Clayton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Light. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Ensign Arthur Law Woodland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clayton. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Eustace Ashburner Tickell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Woodland. Dated 12th October, 1870.

82nd Foot, Captain Patrick Hunter to be Major, by purchase, vice Henry Chandler Wilkinson, who retires. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Lieutenant Lucius Joseph Collum to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hunter. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Ensign James Noel Muller Forsyth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Collum. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Adolphus Peyron Burroughs, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Forsyth. Dated 12th October, 1870.

92nd Foot, Lieutenant Charles Francis Massy has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th October, 1870.

108th Foot, Captain Herbert Chambers McDonald to be Major, vice Henry Lock, made Supernumerary on appointment as Assistant Adjutant-General in Bombay. Dated 8th July, 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Captain Frederick Benjamin Price White, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice W. J. Ross, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon-Major Thomas Best to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospi-

tals, vice Benjamin William Marlow, M.D., who retires on half-pay. Dated 12th October, 1870.
Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Goodwin to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Thomas Best, promoted. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Bennyman, M.D., to be Staff Surgeon. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon William Fletcher, from 46th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Wellington Poole, deceased. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Assistant - Surgeon William Carpenter M.D., from 26th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Edward Dobson, M.B., appointed to 26th Foot. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major Charles Rowland Berkeley Calcott, from the 28th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain John Holmes Houston Gammell, from the 9th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Francis Brooke, from the 94th Foot, to be Major, by purchase. Dated 12th October, 1870.

The promotion, on 1st April, 1870, of Lieutenant William Lane R. Scott, from the 62nd Foot, to be Captain, without purchase, which was notified in the Gazette of 28th June, 1870, has been cancelled.

BREVET.

The retirement, on full-pay, of Captain and Brevet-Colonel H. B. H. Rogers, half-pay Unattached and Staff Officer of Pensioners, with the honorary rank of Major-General, to be antedated to the 1st July, 1870.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Charles Boyse Roehe, half-pay, late of a Dépôt Battalion, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th October, 1870.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Thomas Browne Gray, Royal Marine Light Infantry, having retired upon full-pay, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of the Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870. Dated 1st July, 1870.

Captain William Richard White, 56th Foot, to be Major. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Benjamin William Marlow, M.D., who retires on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 12th October, 1870.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Lieutenant-General Day Hort Macdowall, Colonel of the 3rd Foot, who died on the 14th September, 1870:—

Major-General John Grattan, C.B., Colonel of the 17th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 15th September, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel Alfred Thomas Heyland, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 56th Foot, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 15th September, 1870.

Major William Henry Orme, half-pay, late 85th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th September, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Edward Jerome, V.C., 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th September, 1870.

Captain James Francis Bireh, half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, and Staff Officer of Pen-

sioners, to be Major. Dated 15th September, 1870.

The undermentioned Apothecaries of the Subordinate Medical Establishment, at Bombay, to have the local and honorary rank of Assistant-Surgeon in India :—

Thomas McGuire. Dated 12th October, 1870.
 Benjamin Burn. Dated 12th October, 1870.
 Abraham Pollard. Dated 12th October, 1870.
 Joseph Anderson. Dated 12th October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
 County of Herts.*

Hertford Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Henry Bagnall to be Captain, vice
 Myers, resigned. Dated 16th September, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
 County of Nottingham*

*Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire
 Regiment of Militia.*

Charles Bateman Prust, Esq., late 60th Foot, to
 be Captain, vice Sloane, resigned. Dated 6th
 September, 1870.

William Edward Leche, Esq., late 41st Foot, to
 be Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1870.

Henry Charles Tryon, Gent., late 48th Foot, to
 be Lieutenant. Dated 6th October, 1870.

Arthur Steffe Crisp, Gent., late 51st Foot, to be
 Lieutenant. Dated 6th October, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
 Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Boddam Whetham,
 of the Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottingham-
 shire Regiment of Militia, being granted a step of
 honorary rank.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Sussex.*

*Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex
Militia.*

Fleetwood Forbes Shawe to be Supernumerary
Lieutenant. Dated 30th September, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Robert Wynne, of the
Fife Artillery Militia, being granted the honorary
rank of Colonel.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Major Dottin Maycock, of the 2nd or Edmenton
Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia, being
granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's
Treasury having certified to the Commissioners
for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pur-
suance of the Act 29 and 30 Vict., cap. 39, sec.
16, that the actual surplus revenue of the United
Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond
the actual expenditure thereof, for the year ended
the 30th day of June, 1870, amounted to the
sum of five million two hundred and thirty-three
thousand six hundred and twenty-two pounds five
shillings and eight pence.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the
National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum
of one million three hundred and eight thousand
four hundred and five pounds eleven shillings
and five pence, being one-fourth part of the said
surplus of five million two hundred and thirty-
three thousand six hundred and twenty-two
pounds five shillings and eight pence, will be

applied under the provisions of the said Act, in the quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1870, towards the reduction of the National Debt.

A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General
National Debt Office, October 10, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 14,
1870.

War Office, October 12, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Sir William Tite, Knt., to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

War Office, Pall Mall,

14th October, 1870.

Staff, Brevet Colonel James M. Primrose, C.S.I., Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, late 43rd Foot, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General at Alexandria, to superintend the overland Transport of Troops to India, vice Brevet Colonel James Dodington Carmichael, C.B., who resigns. Dated 15th October, 1870.

Control Department.

Pay Sub-Department, The appointment of Assistant Purveyor Joseph Forrest as Assistant Paymaster, which appeared in the Gazette of 12th August, 1870, has been cancelled.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Assistant Purveyor Joseph Forrest to be Assistant Commissary, commission to bear date 12th February, 1870, such antedate not to carry pay prior to the 12th August last.

Chaplain's Department.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend F. F. Thomson, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Admiralty, 12th October, 1870,

Mr. George B. Westcott, Assistant Paymaster R.N., has been placed on the Retired List under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870.

John Emanuel Chapple, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 2nd October, 1870.

Admiralty, 13th October, 1870,

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Mr. Charles C. Mitchinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of Assistant-Surgeons in the Royal Navy.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Eustace John Wilson-Patten, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

John Riall Llewellyn Kennedy, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

*5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment
of Middlesex Militia.*

William Edward Ker Fox to be Lieutenant.
Dated 8th September, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

2nd Warwick Regiment of Militia.

Augustus Wise, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice
Gildea, promoted. Dated 7th October, 1870,

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Major Richard Phibbs, of the 4th or Duke of
Lancaster's Own (Light Infantry) Regiment of
Royal Lancashire Militia, being granted the
honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th
October, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 18,
1870.

Master of the Horse's Office, October 16, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint
Colonel George Henry, Earl of Mountcharles,
be Equerry in Ordinary to Her Majesty, vice
the Marquis of Hertford, resigned.

Crown Office, October 18, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Mid Surrey.

Sir Richard Baggallay, Knt., in the room of the
Honourable William Brodrick, now a Peer of
the United Kingdom.

(C. 1183.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall
October 13, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Circular Note issued by the Ottoman Government, announcing that the exportation of wheat and barley from the province of Bosnia has been temporarily prohibited.

(C. 1195.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall
October 17, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Berlin, a copy of a Deeree of the Prussian Government annulling the prohibition of the export and transit of oats and bran across the frontier from Mennigswilchen to Saarbruck. The Deeree is dated 3rd October 1870 from which time it came into force.

(C. 1196.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall
October 17, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received

through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Madrid, copies of two Spanish Decrees of the 4th and 6th instant respectively, by which the ports of Alicante and Palma are declared foul in consequence of the appearance of yellow fever.

(C. 1199.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 18, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Ambassador in France, communicating an extract from a Decree, dated 12th instant, relative to the prohibition of the export of provisions from that country, and of which the following is a translation :—

The export, the re-exportation from bond, and the transit of cattle of all kinds, provisions, grain, flour, alimentary supplies of every sort, bran, and fodder are prohibited over the whole extent of the frontiers of the Republic.

(H. 4346.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, October 17, 1870.*

THE Board of Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Hamburg, stating that the lights and buoys in the River Elbe, the restoration of which had been commenced, have been again removed.

Admiralty, 12th October, 1870.

John Emanuel Chapple, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 2nd October, 1870.

Mr. Harry Langworthy, Assistant Paymaster, R.N., has this day been placed on the Retired List, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870.

Admiralty, 13th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Mr. Charles C. Mitchinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of Assistant-Surgeons in the Royal Navy.

Admiralty, 15th October, 1870.

Navigating Lieutenant John Essell Scudamore has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 26th September, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Mr. William J. R. Hall, Paymaster, has been placed on the Retired List from the 1st instant.

Mr. Hall has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

William Charles Ward Jackson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th September, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major John Southcote Mansergh, of the 4th or Duke of Lancaster's Own (Light Infantry) Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th October, 1870.

Board of Customs; October 18, 1870.

The Board of Customs, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby notify that the undermentioned situations are withdrawn from Schedule A of Her Majesty's Order in Council, dated 4th June, 1870; viz. :—

The situations of —

Out-door Officer.

Boatman.

Waterman.

Board of Inland Revenue, October 18, 1870.

The Board of Inland Revenue, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby notify that the undermentioned situation is withdrawn from Schedule A of Her Majesty's Order in Council, dated 4th June, 1870; viz. :—

The situation of —

Second Class Assistant of Excise.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 21,
 1870,

St. James's Palace, October 16, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Mary Emma Pitt to be one of Her Majesty's Maids of Honour in Ordinary, in the room of Lady Florence Catherine Seymour, resigned.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of John Gurdon Rebow, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Colchester, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this

present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twentieth day of October, 1870.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

Whitehall, October 13, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Thomas France, Clerk, Bachelor in Divinity, Rector of Davenham, in the county palatine of Chester, second but eldest surviving son and heir of Thomas France (formerly Thomas Hayhurst), late of Bostock Hall, in the said county palatine, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a declaration contained in the last will and testament of his brother James France France, late of Bostock Hall aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, and with a proviso contained in a certain indenture of settlement bearing date the 15th day of September last, assume and use the surname of Hayhurst in addition to and after that of France, and bear the arms of Hayhurst quarterly with those of France, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, used, and borne by his issue; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

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(C. 1204.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 20, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Quarantine Regulations recently issued at the port of Savannah :—

Special Notice to Pilots and Masters of Vessels.

*Office of Health Officer,
Savannah, October 1, 1870.*

From and after the 1st of October until the 1st of November, the following quarantine regulations will be enforced :—

1. All vessels arriving at this port from or having touched at Key West, Florida, the West India or Bahama Islands, South America or Mexico.

2. All vessels from foreign ports without clean bills of health, or from ports where contagious or epidemic disease is known or supposed to exist ; also, all vessels arriving from ports in North America, south of Savannah, with sickness on board, will anchor in Tybee Roads, opposite the Lighthouse, until visited and inspected by the health officer.

No sick seaman or passenger shall be brought to the city from any vessel in the harbours without the consent of the health officer. Pilots and masters of vessels will be held rigidly responsible for any violation of the above regulations.

(Signed) J. C. HABERSHAM, M.D.,
Health Officer, Port of Savannah.

Approved —

(Signed) JOHN SCREVEN,
Mayor.

*War Office, Pall Mall,**21st October, 1870.*

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Philip Edward Poppe to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Colquhoun, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Cornet John Dalton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Poppe. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

John Herbert Hussey, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dalton. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Lieutenant James Cunningham Douglas to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant P. E. Poppe, promoted. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

8th Hussars, Lieutenant Roderick Mackenzie to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard William Palliser, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Cornet Edward Henry Green to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mackenzie. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Andrew Pellett Scrimshire Green to be Colonel, vice E. Wodehouse, C.B., deceased. Dated 7th October, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Maitland Govan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Green. Dated 7th October, 1870.

Second Captain Brymer Francis Schreiber to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Govan. Dated 7th October, 1870.

Second Captain Leonard Griffiths from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Schreiber. Dated 7th October, 1870.

Coast Brigade, Lieutenant Hugh Marshall to be Captain, vice J. Rogan, placed upon half-pay. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Master Gunner George Groves to be Lieutenant, vice Marshall. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel James George Fife (late Bombay) to be Colonel, vice C. Scott, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 17th October, 1870.

Captain Alexander Urquhart Hamilton Finch (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Fife. Dated 17th October, 1870.

Second Captain Walter Manson (late Bombay) to be Captain, vice Finch. Dated 17th October, 1870.

Lieutenant George Wingate Oldham (late Bombay), on the Seconded List, to be Second Captain. Dated 17th October, 1870.

Lieutenant Henry Doveton (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Manson. Dated 17th October, 1870.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent from 15th July, 1868, viz. :—

John Collings MacGregor.

Henry Pigot Nicholls Nicholls.

Mark Henry George Goldie.

Adam Bogle.

Arthur Thomas Preston.

Courtney Clarke Rawson.

Arthur Robert Ford Dorward.

George Hastings Turner.

Charles Fearon Fuller.

John Rouse Merriott Chard.

Robert Maxwell Hyslop.

The surname of the Gentleman Cadet appointed Lieutenant, with temporary rank, in the Gazette of 4th July, 1862, is *Lowsley*, and not *Lonsley*, as hitherto stated.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Frederick William John Dugmore to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain Gerard Smith, promoted. Dated 24th September, 1870.

2nd Foot, Captain James Thom, from the 30th Foot, to be Captain, vice R. J. Brady, promoted. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

3rd Foot, Lieutenant Edward Charlton Dickson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Theophilus Jones, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Ensign Henry FitzGerald Stevens to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dickson. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

4th Foot, Captain James Henry Linton, from half-pay, late 44th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Augustus Nicholas Wilson, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Lieutenant Herbert Charles Borrett to be Captain, by purchase, vice J. H. Linton, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Ensign Henry Boyd Sutherland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Borrett. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward John Lugard to be Adjutant, vice Borrett. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

28th Foot, Captain Charles Frederick Hutton to be Major, without purchase, vice C. R. B. Calcott, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

30th Foot, Lieutenant James Thom to be Captain, by purchase, vice Pelham Thursby Pelham, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Ensign Charles Benjamin Charlewood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thom. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Archibald John Arnott Wright, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Charlewood. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

37th Foot, Ensign James Beverley Lynch to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Josiah Philip Crampton Neville, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

42nd Foot, Ensign Alexander Grant to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Arthur Wellesley Warrand, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet William Henry Hallowell Carew Moubray, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Grant. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

46th Foot, Ensign Henry Thomas Warde Allatt to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Nunn Thomas, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

49th Foot, Ensign Mosley Mayne has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

54th Foot, Captain John Evans F. Aylmer, from half-pay, late 8th Foot, to be Captain, vice Michael O'Brien, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Frederick Colville to be Captain, by purchase, vice Aylmer, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Ensign John Edmund Harpur Crewe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Colville. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

56th Foot, Ensign John Lyons has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

65th Foot, Staff Surgeon Henry Sherlock to be Surgeon, vice William Alexander Davidson, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

87th Foot, Arthur Collingwood Denny, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice the Honourable Eustace Devereux, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

89th Foot, Lieutenant Montagu Fawkes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Ramsay Steuart, who retires. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

94th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Buckley Campbell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major H. F. Brooke, promoted Half-pay Major. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Ensign Wadham Locke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Campbell. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

99th Foot, Lieutenant Robert George Davis Tossell to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant K. D. Tanner, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1870.

106th Foot, Staff-Surgeon James Kelly to be Surgeon, vice William Ferguson, appointed to the Staff. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Control Department.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy-Commissary D. Gibbons to be Commissary,

vice Superintendent of Stores R. R. Pringle, retired. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Assistant-Commissary Augustus Hillier to be Deputy-Commissary, vice Gibbons. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Medical Department, Staff-Surgeon Robert McNab, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 1st April, 1867. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Surgeon William Alexander Davidson, M.D., from the 65th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Henry Sherlock, who exchanges. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Surgeon William Ferguson, from the 106th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice James Kelly, appointed to the 106th Foot. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Chaplain's Department, Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend J. Browne Wilson to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 18th September, 1870.

Garrisons, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Bryan Milman, half-pay late 5th Foot, to be Major of the Tower of London, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Frederick Amelius Whimper, half-pay Unattached, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 29th August, 1870.

N.B.—The above appointment to be in substitution of that published by the Lord Chamberlain in the Gazette of the 13th September, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major Richard Henry Travers, from the 24th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Colonel Charles Scott, retired full-pay, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 17th October, 1870.

Honorary Assistant - Surgeon Thomas Murray, M.D., Civil Surgeon. Ajmere, to have the honorary rank of Surgeon. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers of the Royal Artillery having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels in the Army, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866, viz.:—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Clements Hailes (late Bombay). Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Trenchard Haggard (late Bombay). Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Alexander Morse (late Bombay). Dated 3rd August, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel Henry Augustus Smyth. Dated 31st August, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel David Greenhill Anderson (late Bombay). Dated 14th September, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel Paul Winsloe Phillipps. Dated 20th September, 1870.

Admiralty, 19th October, 1870.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Lieutenant Francis Hastings Edmund Owen to be Second Captain, vice Gorges, drowned in Her Majesty's late ship "Captain." Promotion to be dated 8th September, 1870.

Admiralty, 19th October, 1870.

The retirement of Captain Francesco Saugro Tremlett, announced in the London Gazette, as from the 1st April, 1870, has been cancelled, and Captain Tremlett has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, from the 14th ultimo.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Captain Robert Calder Allen has this day been placed on the Retired List from the 1st instant.

Staff Captain Allen has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Captain from the date of his retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

The Right Honourable Victor Alexander Preston Bruce, Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th October, 1870.

Commission signed by Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London.

Royal London Militia.

Lieutenant James Johnston Brown to be Captain, vice Alwynne, resigned. Dated 21st September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Royal Surrey Militia.

Lieutenant Thomas Herbert Kingsford to be Captain, vice Hilliard, deceased. Dated 6th October, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

2nd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

William Bottomley Jackson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Beaumont, resigned. Dated 27th September, 1870.

William Edward Oates, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Hodgson, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1870.

6th Regiment of West York Militia.

William Malcolm, Gent., late 10th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Bond, promoted. Dated 30th September, 1870.

John Birkbeck Evelyn Stansfeld, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Wing, promoted. Dated 30th September, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel the Earl of Harewood retaining his rank and wearing the uniform on retirement from the Hussar (Princess of Wales' Own) Regiment of Yorkshire (West Riding) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Lieutenant the Honourable Cecil Duncombe and Cornet Reginald Vyner in the Hussar (Princess of Wales' Own) Regiment of Yorkshire (West Riding) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia

William Richard Wickham to be Lieutenant, vice Marsden, resigned. Dated 8th October, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Cooper Rose to be Surgeon, vice Workman, resigned. Dated 8th October, 1870.

John Holmes Jephson to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Rose, promoted. Dated 8th October, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 25,
1870.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of October instant: We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, hereby issue Our Royal Proclamation, and publish and declare that the said Parliament be further prorogued to Tuesday the thirteenth day of December next.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this twenty-fourth day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and in the thirty-fourth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 24th day of
October, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the day to which the same now stand prorogued to Wednesday, the fourteenth day of December next; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 24th day of
October, 1870.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to allow New Rules and Bye-Laws for the Regulation of the Navigation of the River Thames.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, October 24, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Monday, the 31st instant, until further orders.

Foreign Office, October 21, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Viscount Duprat as Consul-General in London for His Majesty the King of Portugal and the Algarves.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. W. H. B. Wilson as Consul at Port Louis, Mauritius, for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. David H. Bailey as Consul at Hong-Kong for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Enrique Langley as Vice-Consul at Manchester for the Republic of Honduras.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Enrique M. Langley as Vice-Consul at Manchester for the Republic of Salvador.

(C. 1211.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, information from Her Majesty's Consul-General in Algeria, that a quarantine of seven days has been imposed on all vessels arriving in that colony from the Spanish ports in the Mediterranean from Tarifa, including Gibraltar.

(C. 1214.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, information from Her Majesty's Consul-General in Algeria that the prohibition on the export of cereals from that colony has been withdrawn.

War Office, Pall Mall,
25th October, 1870.

66th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Thomas Henry Johnston, from the 87th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Edward Wells Bell, deceased. Dated 10th October, 1870.

70th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General the Right Honourable Sir Henry Knight Storks, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Hastings Doyle, K.C.M.G., transferred to the 87th Foot. Dated 10th October, 1870.

87th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Hastings Doyle, K.C.M.G., from the 70th Foot, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Thomas Henry Johnston, transferred to the 66th Foot. Dated 10th October, 1870.

India Office, 25th October, 1870.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain John Sexton, 95th Regiment. Dated 13th September, 1861.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Francis Massy, 92nd Regiment. Dated 14th August, 1867.

Lieutenant Thomas Deane, 21st Hussars. Dated 24th August, 1868.

Lieutenant Francis Richard Begbie, 37th Regiment. Dated 7th May, 1869.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Alexander Bredin, 19th Regiment. Dated 5th February, 1866.

Lieutenant James Joseph Kennedy, 10th Regiment. Dated 8th October, 1866.

Admiralty, 22nd October, 1870.

The following promotions have been this day made: —

To be Captains.

Commander Hawksworth Fawkes.

Commander George Graham Duff.

Commander Edward Kelly.

To be Commanders.

Lieutenant John Graham Job Hanmer.

Lieutenant Ernest Rice.

Lieutenant Henry Salmond.

To be Lieutenants.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Henry Warren.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Claremont Wood.

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Bridges Lacy.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward John Power Wade.

Sub-Lieutenant George Henry Moore.

Sub-Lieutenant Richard Penrose Humpage.

Sub-Lieutenant John Edric Blaxland.

Sub-Lieutenant Hugh George Gough.

Sub-Lieutenant John Edward Fitzhardinge King.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Charles Broder Knudtzow Smith (Acting), to be confirmed provided he passes in accordance with the Regulations.

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Edward Croasdaile.

Sub-Lieutenant William Balfour Forbes (special for gallantry in saving life from drowning).

Sub-Lieutenant William Clarke Haynes (special for services in Training Ship "Bristol.")

Admiralty, 24th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Robert A. E. Scott has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 20th instant.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 28,
1870.

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 27th day of *October, 1870.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education read and approved of Regulations for the First Election of the School Board for London.

At the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 27th day of *October, 1870.*

The Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education read and approved of General Regulations for the First Election of School Boards in Boroughs.

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St. James's Palace, October 26, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry David Erskine, Esq., of Cardross, to be Groom of the Robes in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of the Marquis of Hertford, resigned.

*The Prince of Wales' Council Chamber,
Buckingham Gate, October 27, 1870.*

The Prince of Wales has appointed the Earl of Leicester to be Keeper of the Privy Seal of His Royal Highness, in the place of Mr. Herbert Fisher, resigned.

(C. 1238).

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 27, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that the Danish Government have, in consequence of the outbreak of cholera at St. Petersburg, enacted the following Quarantine Regulations to be observed by all vessels arriving from that city :—

All vessels coming from an infected port or place shall neither land passengers, nor crew, nor have any communication with the shore, until the quarantine doctor has been on board and granted them free pratique.

Vessels coming from such infected ports or places shall on arrival in the roads immediately hoist the quarantine flag, or in place thereof, a white flag on the main top.

Masters of vessels neglecting to comply with the above regulations will be liable to a fine of 500 Rigsdollars.

(C. 1242.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 27, 1870.*

WITH reference to the notice in the London Gazette of the 18th October, stating that the exportation of grain from Bosnia had been temporarily prohibited, the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, enclosing a "Note Verbale" from the Ottoman Government, announcing that the word "Bosnia," had been erroneously inserted, and that the province to which the measure in question referred was that of Tripoli of Barbary.

Admiralty, 25th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 15th instant :—

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend
James W. Ridley.

Admiralty, 26th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant :—

Paymaster William Frederick Huyghue.

Admiralty, 27th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Frederick Augustus Buchanan Craufurd has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 1st instant.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Captain Sir Frederick Arrow, Knt., Deputy-Master of the Corporation of the Trinity House, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th September, 1870.

William Bird, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

West Kent Yeomanry Cavalry.

The Lord George Murray Pratt, late Grenadier Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Lubbock, resigned. Dated 20th October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stirling.

Stirlingshire, &c., or Highland Borderers' Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

The Right Honourable Lord Douglas Beresford Malise Ronald Graham to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel John Scriven, of the 4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 1,
1870.

Whitehall, October 31, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James Barclay to the church and parish of Saint Michael's, at Dumfries, in the presbytery and county of Dumfries, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Alexander Bryson to the church and parish of Alloa.

St. James's Palace, October 31, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Marquis of Normanby, to appoint Colonel William Chester Master, C.B., late 5th Foot, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Captain S. L. A. B. Messiter, deceased.

(C. 1217.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 31, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, enclosing a copy of a Decree of the

Spanish Government, dated 15th July last, approving the new General Customs Ordinances:—

DECREE.

(Translation).

ART. 1. The General Customs Ordinances,* drawn up in fulfilment of the law of the 1st July, 1869, are approved.

ART. 2. These Ordinances will come into force on the 1st November next.

ART. 3. From the prescription of Art. 2 is excepted the disposition which requires masters of vessels to have a manifest of their cargoes ready drawn up on entering Spanish waters. That disposition will come into operation on 1st January, 1871, for vessels arriving from all ports in Europe, all ports of Asia and Africa in the Mediterranean, and African ports on the Atlantic as far as Cape Mogador; and on 1st April, 1871, for vessels arriving from all other ports in Asia and Africa, and from all ports in America and Oceania.

Until this disposition comes into operation, masters of vessels must come provided with the Consular-Register as hitherto; on and after the 1st November, however, those who wish it may cease to provide themselves with the register, and subject themselves at once to the formation of the aforesaid manifest.

* A translation of the General Spanish Customs Ordinances may be seen upon application at the Board of Trade (Commercial Department), Whitehall Gardens.

(C. 1240.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 31, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, a copy of an Order addressed by the Spanish Colonial Minister to the Governor of the Philippine Islands, modifying Articles 42, 156, 157, 158, and 159 of the Customs Regulations in force in those Islands. The above-mentioned Articles will in future be respectively worded as follows:—

ART. 42. If the examination shows minus differences in the number, weight, measure, or value of the effects, then, for the payment of the duty, that which is manifested in the declaratory notes shall be abided by; but where there are plus differences, whether in quality or quantity, Arts. 156 and 157 shall be observed.

ART. 156. If, on examining and comparing goods of lawful commerce with the declarations of the parties interested, there be found in the goods a plus or minus difference in quantity or quality not exceeding 4 per cent., they shall be despatched according to the result of the said acts. When the plus differences in quantity or quality between that which is found and that which is declared exceeds 4 per cent., the parties interested shall suffer an additional duty equal to the difference between the duty to have been paid on the goods according to the declarations and the duty to be applied in consequence of the result of the examination. As regards oil, dried cod fish, greases, soap, butter, and other oleaginous goods liable to waste away, plus or minus differences shall not be accounted as such, if they do not exceed 5 per cent. in goods coming from Asia, and 8 per cent. in goods coming from other countries. For calculating the rate per cent. of the differences that may appear in one and the same despatch, and the amount of the additional duty according to the basis laid down in the second paragraph of this

Article, all those belonging to one item of the Tariff shall be taken together (even although the goods be in different packages), to deduce therefrom that which ultimately constitutes the fraud attempted. If the merchandise be woven goods, the calculation shall be made by taking together all those of the same class, even although they belong to different items of the Tariff, taking care not to mix up plain goods with goods in imitation of serge (*asargados*), nor embroidered with un-embroidered goods.

The amount of the additional duty spoken of in this Article shall be divided between the Exchequer and the employés.

ART. 157. When the differences are produced by the appearance of less goods, or of other goods liable to lower duty than the goods declared, duty shall be exacted on the whole of the goods set forth in the declaration. Goods of lawful commerce which, not having been declared, may be found fraudulently hidden, shall be confiscated.

ART. 158. If, on making the examination and valuation of duty, prohibited goods are found, which the parties interested may have declared as considering them allowed, a fine of the fourth part of the value thereof shall be imposed, and divided between the Exchequer and the employés concerned in the discovery. The owners shall be obliged to re-export, and in the meantime the goods shall remain in the Custom-house in deposit. If the said goods shall not have been declared, they shall be confiscated. If they have not been declared and are found fraudulently hidden, they shall be confiscated and an additional duty shall be imposed equal to the value of the goods. The amount of this additional duty, which, like the confiscated goods, shall be divided in equal parts between the Exchequer and the

employés concerned in the discovery, shall be the price fetched by the goods in public auction, and not the amount of the valuation. For the re-exportation ordered in any of these cases, the administrator shall exact from the proper person a sufficient guarantee, to be held until the presentation of the certificate of the Spanish Consul at the port to which the goods are exported, stating that they have been received there. A fine of 400 escudos shall be imposed for the non-presentation of the said document within the term to be fixed at discretion.

ART. 159. When passengers bring unregistered goods exceeding 200 escudos in value, the goods to that amount shall first be set on one side, and the rest shall be charged double the respective Tariff duty. If the goods have not been declared, double duty shall be charged on the whole; but if, besides this, they have been fraudulently hidden in secret compartments of boxes, or in any other manner, they shall be confiscated.

(C. 1250.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 31, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree issued by the Spanish Government, which provides "that until the day on which the town and port of Barcelona shall be declared free from yellow fever, coals destined for the latter place (Barcelona), and which are presented for despatch at the Custom-house at Tarragona, shall be exempt from Tariff dues, and from the duty on unloading."

War Office, Pall Mall,
1st November, 1870.

Control Department.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Richard John Lewis, from Barrack Clerk, to be Assistant Commissary. Commission to bear date 18th February, 1870, such antedate not to carry pay prior to the 1st November, 1870.

W. H. Eliot, from Barrack Clerk, to be Assistant Commissary. Commission to bear date 18th February, 1870, such antedate not to carry pay prior to the 1st November, 1870.

Pay Sub-Department, Leonce Havilland Isham Routh, from Commissariat Clerk, to be Assistant Paymaster. Dated 2nd November, 1870.

BREVET.

Superintendent of Stores R. R. Pringle, placed upon retired pay, to have the honorary rank of Principal Superintendent of Stores. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Admiralty, 31st October, 1870

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Reserved Captains have been advanced to the list of Captains Retired under Orders in Council of 24th April, 1847, 25th June, 1851, and 26th July, 1867, from the dates stated against their names :—

Captains :

Jonas Archer Abbott, from 7th October, 1870.

John Goodrich Dick, from 11th October, 1870.

John Luke Richard Stoll, from 13th October, 1870.

Philip Augustus Helpman, from 16th October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks : —

Paymaster William L. Wright, from the 30th instant.

Assistant Paymaster Edward B. Pillans, from this date.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

John Humphreys, Esq., jun., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

Sir Simon Macdonald Lockhart, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th October, 1870.

Sir Windham Charles James Carmichael Anstruther, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th October, 1870.

William Smith Dixon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th October, 1870.

Alexander Graham Dunlop, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Bedford.*

Bedfordshire Regiment of Militia.

The Honourable George William Gilbert Russell
to be Lieutenant, vice Higgins, promoted.
Dated 22nd October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

1st King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Lieutenant Robert John Elwell to be Captain,
vice Elwes, resigned. Dated 30th September,
1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edmund Robert Spearman to be Cornet. Dated
19th October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Durham.*

Durham Artillery Militia.

R. W. A. Shortis, Esq., late Glamorgan Artillery
Militia. to be First Lieutenant. Dated 16th
September, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to
accept the resignation of the Commission held by
Lieutenant R. H. Lord in the 1st Tower Hamlets
Militia. Dated 18th October, 1870.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES ACTS, 1866 and 1869.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have appointed Charles Robert Larkin, Esq., M.R.C.S., and L.S.A., to be Assistant Visiting Surgeon at Sheerness, under the above-mentioned Acts, vice Harris, resigned.

General Register Office, November 1, 1870.

The Registrar-General, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby notifies that the undermentioned situations are withdrawn from Schedule A of Her Majesty's Order in Council, dated 4th of June, 1870 :—

The situations of—

Clerk, and

Enumerator in connection with the taking of the Census of 1871.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 1,
1870.

Foreign Office, November 2, 1870.

HER Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received the following Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Tours :—

Tours,

MY LORD,

October 29, 1870.

I HAVE the honour to transmit herewith to your Lordship, extracted from the "Moniteur Universal," of this day, a Decree, appointing a .

Prize Court at the seat of the Delegation of the Government of National Defence.

I have, &c.,

(Signed)

LYONS.

(Translation.)

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE.

The Delegation of the Government of National Defence,

On the report of the Vice-Admiral, Minister of Marine and the Colonies,

Considering that it is of importance not to leave exposed to injury the interests of neutrals engaged in prize questions, and that the interruption of communication with Paris does not allow the reference to the permanent Prize Court of the proceedings already terminated, and those to be hereafter determined, until an indefinite period ;

DECREES

Art. 1. A Provisional Prize Court is established at the seat of the Delegation of the Government of National Defence.

Art. 2. The Court is composed :

Of a President, of four Members, and of a Government Commissioner.

The members of the Court are chosen from among the functionaries of the Departments of Justice, of Foreign Affairs, and of Marine, in equal numbers, and are appointed on the nomination of the Ministers of their respective Departments. Their functions are gratuitous.

A Secretary Registrar is attached to the Court.

Art. 3. This Court will be substituted for the Prize Court established at Paris until communication is re-established. It will have the same attributes, and will proceed in the same forms.

Parties will have the right to sign memorials and petitions which will be laid before the Prize Court.

Art. 4. The Provisional Court will be dissolved as soon as the Permanent Court shall be able to act.

The register of its decisions will then be deposited in the archives of the Permanent Court.

Art. 5. Are nominated members of the Provisional Prize Court :—

M.M. Roy, Councillor of State, Director-General
in the Ministry of Finance, President.

Favre-Clavaïroz, Consul-General.

Leveen, Chef du Cabinet of the Keeper of
the Seals, Minister of Justice.

De Champeaux, Capitaine de Vaisseau.

Vessilver, Consul.

Boucarut, Capitaine de Frégate, fulfilling
the functions of Government Commis-
sioner.

Barboux, Barrister at the Court of Appeal
of Paris, appointed as Secretary.

Art. 6. The Minister of Marine and the Colonies
has undertaken the execution of the present
Decree.

Done at Tours, the 27th October, 1870.

For the Government of National Defence,

The Members of the Delegation,

(Signed) AD. CREMIEUX.

FOURICHON.

AL. GLAIS-BIZOIN.

L. GAMBETTA.

By the Government of National Defence,

The Vice-Admiral,

Minister of Marine and the Colonies,

(Signed) L. FOURICHON.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 4,
1870.

Foreign Office, October 31, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. William Frederick Collier as Vice-Consul at Plymouth for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

Foreign Office, November 3, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Enrique Fox as Consul at Plymouth for the Republic of Chile.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Antonio Corsi as Consul at Gibraltar for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

Whitehall, November 2, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart., C.B. ; Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach, Bart. ; Sir Sydney Hedley Waterlow, Knt., one of the Aldermen of the City of London ; John Bonham Carter, Esq. ; Evan Matthew Richards, Esq. ; Charles Saville Roundell, Esq. ; Francis Thomas Bircham, Esq. ; and William Pollard Pattison, Esq. ; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to enquire into the existing state of the Law relating to Friendly Societies, and also to enquire into and report upon the operation of the Acts relating to Friendly Societies and Benefit Building Societies, and the organization or general

condition of Societies established under such Acts respectively, and upon the office and duties of the Registrar of Friendly Societies, with power to suggest any improvements to be made in the Law with respect to the matters aforesaid.

Whitehall, November 3, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Edward Kenny, Esq., late President of the Privy Council of the Dominion of Canada.

Crown Office, November 4, 1870.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Colchester.

Alexander Learmouth, of Eaton-place, London, Esq., in the room of John Gurdon Rebow, Esq., deceased.

(C. 1225.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 3, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, two Despatches from Her Majesty's Consul at Rome, reporting—

Firstly. That the custom-house line which divided the Roman provinces from the other provinces of the King of Italy has been suppressed, and that the Customs Tariff at present in force in
1870.

the Kingdom of Italy will after the 1st November, 1870, come into operation in the Roman provinces.

Secondly. That in accordance with a Royal Order, the following laws are published in Rome and the Roman provinces :—

The Law of 24th August, 1862, for the unification of the monetary system.

The Law of 21st July, 1866, approving the Monetary Convention of the 23rd December, 1865.

Until, however, new dispositions came into force, the Pontifical Edict of 18th June, 1866, will continue to have effect, but only so far as it concerns the legal currency of gold, silver, and bronze pieces of papal coinage named in that Edict.

(C. 1263.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 3, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Decree issued by the King of Prussia, in the name of the North German Confederation, revoking the prohibition imposed upon the export and transit of cattle, pigs, and sheep, as well as upon coal and coke, on the frontier.

The following are the Articles of this Decree:—

1. The prohibition of the export and transit of cattle, pigs, and sheep over the frontier from Nordhorn to Saarbrücken, both places inclusive, contained in Section 1 of the Ordinance of July 20 of the present year is removed.

2. The prohibition of the export and transit of coals and coke over the frontier from Memel to Saarbrück, both places included, contained in Section 1 of the Ordinance of July 16 of the

present year, ceases to be in force as regards the frontier southwards from Malmedy to Saarbruck, inclusive.

(H. 4505.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
November 2, 1870.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Washington, enclosing copy of an Act recently passed by the United States Legislature which enacts :—

1. That yachts belonging to a regularly organized yacht club of any foreign nation which shall extend like privileges to the yachts of the United States, shall have the privilege of entering or leaving any port of the United States without entering or clearing at the Custom-house thereof, or paying tonnage tax.
2. That United States yachts shall be furnished with a Commission by the Secretary of the Treasury so that they may be identified in foreign ports.

War Office, Pall Mall,

4th November, 1870.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant James Francis Lenox MacFarlane to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Howard Arthur, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Cornet Francis Coffin Macky to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice MacFarlane. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Alexander Bruce Siddons Fraser, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Macky. Dated 5th November, 1870.

14th Hussars, Archibald William Merry, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice L. J. Riley, whose appointment by purchase on the 10th August, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Serjeant-Major William Henry Chittick to be Quartermaster, vice J. Pitt, deceased. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Veterinary-Surgeon Griffiths Evans, M.D., to be Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class, vice A. J. Owles, 6th Dragoons, promoted. Dated 6th July, 1870.

Veterinary-Surgeon James Joseph Meyrick to be Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class, vice E. Harrison, who has retired upon half-pay. Dated 19th September, 1870.

Royal Engineers, Captain Richard Armstrong Roberts (late Madras) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel C. E. D. Hill, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 15th October, 1870.

Second Captain Hector Tulloch (late Madras) to be Captain, vice Roberts. Dated 15th October, 1870.

Lieutenant John Pennycuick (late Madras) to be Second Captain, vice Tulloch. Dated 15th October, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Ivor John Caradoc Herbert, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable R. C. G. Skeffington, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

1st Foot, Ensign Arthur William Sheringham to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice W. H. McCausland, whose promotion by purchase on 29th June, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 5th November, 1870.

8th Foot, Lieutenant Matthew Liddon to be Captain, by purchase, vice William James Watson, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Ensign John Parry Hamer to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Liddon. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Lawrence Charles Frederick Thompson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hamer. Dated 5th November, 1870.

9th Foot, Captain Francis Edward Biddulph, from 19th Foot, to be Captain, vice Gammell, promoted half-pay Major, without purchase. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Daniel Dickinson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Chadwick, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 15th October, 1870.

16th Foot, Charles Frederick Vice, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice F. D. Welchman, whose appointment, by purchase, on 1st October, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 5th November, 1870.

17th Foot, Ensign Reginald James Courtenay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Harvey Lambart M. Ravenhill, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

20th Foot, Ensign William Cocks Allen to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Robert Winthrop, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

William Savage Baker, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Allen. Dated 5th November, 1870.

22nd Foot, Ensign Thomas Edward Graves Molyneux to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Robert George Bellers, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Granville Lawrence Hay, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Molyneux. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Richard Charles Hare to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Hamersley, promoted. Dated 5th November, 1870.

23rd Foot, Lieutenant William Phibbs to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant R. F. Williamson, promoted. Dated 5th November, 1870.

24th Foot, Captain Edmund Watkin Kent to be Major, without purchase, vice R. H. Travers, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

31st Foot, The appointment of Gentleman Cadet Alexander Thomas Weller, from the Royal Military College, to an Ensigncy, without purchase, on the 3rd September, 1870, has been cancelled.

36th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Lloyd Hawkes to be Captain, without purchase, vice Carr, promoted. Dated 3rd April, 1870.

Ensign Henry Clayton Cowell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hawkes. Dated 3rd April, 1870.

39th Foot, Ensign Edward Tufnell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John C. Cowslade, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet George Frankland Francis, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Tufnell. Dated 5th November, 1870.

43rd Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Campbell Money to be Captain, without purchase, vice C. H. Hatchell, deceased. Dated 12th October, 1870.

Ensign William Matthias Lancaster has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 5th November, 1870.

51st Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Robert Gillespie, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas Sillery Cogan, who exchanges. Dated 5th November, 1870.

52nd Foot, The appointment to an Ensigncy, without purchase, of Gentleman Cadet W. A. J. Murray, on 3rd September, 1870, has been cancelled.

63rd Foot, Staff-Surgeon George Peacocke, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Allen Bryson, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 5th November, 1870.

78th Foot, Lieutenant Hugh Gough Grant to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Frederick Rowley, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Ensign Allan William Cameron to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Grant. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Ensign Percy Seymour Harvey, from 44th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Cameron. Dated 5th November, 1870.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant Herbert Llywelyn Parry, from 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Chichester, who exchanges. Dated 31st August, 1870.

95th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Chichester, from 83rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Parry, who exchanges. Dated 31st August, 1870.

99th Foot, Lieutenant Walter Skipper to be Captain, by purchase, vice Kearns Deane Tanner, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Ensign George Glendower Blaxland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Skipper. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Henry Charles Harford, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Blaxland. Dated 5th November, 1870.

101st Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Leycester Wynter, from the 104th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice F. M. Kirk, who exchanges. Dated 5th November, 1870.

104th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Manaton Kirk, from the 101st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. L. Wynter, who exchanges. Dated 5th November, 1870.

105th Foot, Captain Henry James Bell to be Major, vice C. Wallis Lethbridge, who retires on a Pension. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Lonsdale to be Captain, vice Bell. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Lieutenant Herbert Charles Symons to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Lonsdale. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

108th Foot, Ensign Frederick Babington Peile to be Lieutenant, vice Harrison F. S. Neill, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd August, 1870.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Walter James Lindsay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable John Abercromby, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant Claude Osbert Bulger, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Ralph Henry Potts, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Medical Department, Surgeon Allen Bryson, M.D., from the 63rd Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice George Peacocke, M.D., appointed to the 63rd Foot. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon James Atkinson, from the 95th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Traynor, appointed to the 46th Foot. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Sillery Cogan, from the 51st Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert Gillespie, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Chelsea Hospital, Surgeon J. A. McMunn, M.D., on the Half-pay List, to be Physician and Surgeon. Dated 4th November, 1868.

Half-Pay, Captain George Sullivan, from 109th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Covey, from the 68th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

The promotion of Lieutenant R. L. Hawkes, from 36th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase, dated 1st April, 1870, has been cancelled.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Edward Dawson Hill, retired full-pay, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Major-General the rank being honorary only. Dated 15th October, 1870.

Major C. Wallis Lethbridge, 105th Foot, who retires upon a pension, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Second Captain James Browne, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be Major. Dated 5th November, 1870.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Edward Wells Bell, Colonel of

the 66th Foot, who died on the 9th October, 1870 :—

Lieutenant-General John Hall, Colonel of the 19th Hussars, to be General. Dated 10th October, 1870.

Major-General the Honourable James Lindsay, Colonel of the 3rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 10th October, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel George Vaughan Maxwell, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 88th Foot, serving with the rank of Brigadier-General, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868. Such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 10th October, 1870.

Major Frederick William Lambton, 71st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th October, 1870.

Captain Charles Hudson, 10th Foot, to be Major. Dated 10th October, 1870.

Admiralty, 2nd November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, from the 24th ultimo :—

Staff Surgeon John Bower, M.D.

Admiralty, 3rd November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 31st ultimo :—

Assistant-Surgeon Dr. Edward W. Coleman.

Admiralty, 4th November, 1870.

Sub Lieutenant Duke Arthur Crofton has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant for his services in connection with the Naval Rocket Brigade during the Abyssinian Expedition, as mentioned in the Gazette of 30th June, 1868.

His seniority dates from the 14th ultimo, when he completed his examinations at the Royal Naval College.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

Derbyshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Reginald W. Chandos Pole, Esq., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 29th October, 1870.

Samuel Charles Allsop, Esq., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 29th October, 1870.

Humphrey J. Walmesley, Esq., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 29th October, 1870.

Walter Boden, Esq., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 29th October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

1st Devon Militia.

Francis James Coleridge Botes to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Thomas William Greenwell, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th October, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

East Kent Militia.

Alfred North Daniel, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Sicklemore, promoted. Dated 26th October, 1870.

Royal East Kent Yeomanry Cavalry.

Matthew John Bell, Gent., late Captain 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Denne, resigned. Dated 27th October, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel James Bourne, of the Artillery Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 21st October, 1870.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 8,
1870.*

Whitehall, November 5, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Spencer Fellows to the perpetual curacy of Pulham Saint Mary Magdalen, in the county of Norfolk, and diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of the Reverend Leonard Ramsay Henslow.

Downing Street, November 5, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Alexander Parker, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Island of St. Helena ; and James Kirk, Esq., jun., to be a Member of the Privy Council of the Island of Tobago.

(C. 1260.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 7, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Spanish Decree, establishing a new Tariff of Import and Export Duties to be levied in the Philippine Islands.

Any person wishing to inspect this Tariff can do so upon application at the (Commercial Department) Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
8th November, 1870.*

72nd Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Charles Gascoyne, from the 89th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Charles George James Arbuthnot, deceased. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

89th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Sir John Garvock, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Charles Gascoyne, transferred to the 72nd Foot. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant William Hanning Lee to be Captain, by purchase, vice

Edward Vandeleur, who retires. Dated 5th November, 1870.

Captain Herbert William Thompson, from 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice G. E. Logan, who exchanges. Dated 6th November, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Captain and Brevet-Major Thomas Samuel Poer Field, from temporary half-pay, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major A. Sievwright, deceased. Dated 9th November, 1870.

Coast Brigade, Lieutenant John Taylor to be Captain, vice Andrew Henry, V.C., deceased. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Master Gunner Edward Dillon to be Lieutenant, vice Taylor, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1870.

The promotion of Captain Hugh Marshall to be antedated to the 15th October, 1870.

14th Foot, Captain George Eugene Logan, from 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice H. W. Thompson, who exchanges. Dated 6th November, 1870.

Admiralty, 5th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from this date :—

Assistant-Surgeons :

Dr. Henry S. Smart.

Dr. William Johnston.

Dr. George Monteath.

Navigating Lieutenant John Molloy, from the 24th September last.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Forfar.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Greenhill Gardyne to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Swinburne to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1870.

James Alexander Guthrie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Theodore Edwin Houghton Platt, of the 2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 11,
1870.

Foreign Office, November 8, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Marsh Giddings as Consul-General at Calcutta for the United States of America.

Foreign Office, November 9, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Hussein Effendi as Consul-General at Bombay for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. F. G. L. Struve as Consul at Quebec for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Robert Langford as Vice-Consul at Padstow for the North German Confederation.

Downing Street, November 10, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Henry Barkly, K.C.B. (now Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope and its Dependencies), to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the Settling and Adjustment of the Affairs of the Territories adjacent or contiguous to the Eastern Frontier of the Cape of Good Hope.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint the Reverend Henry Cheetham, M.A., to be Ordained and Consecrated Bishop of the See of Sierra Leone.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Charles Wykeham Martin, Esq. late a Member

serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Newport, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this ninth day of November, 1870.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

War Office, Pall Mall,

11th November, 1870.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, George Lamplugh Wickham, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice William Harry Vane Milbank, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.

4th Hussars, Staff Assistant - Surgeon Peter Shepherd, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Samuel Fuller, promoted on the Staff. Dated 12th November, 1870.

21st Hussars, Lieutenant Arthur Thomas Fisher, from 2nd Foot, to be Lieutenant. vice W. Watt, who exchanges. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Serjeant-Major Henry Germany, from Riding Establishment, Canterbury, to be Riding-Master, vice Butler Goodburn, deceased. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Collins, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Turner, deceased. Dated 12th November, 1870.

1st Foot, Major David Reid, from half-pay, late 1870.

- Depôt Battalion, to be Major, vice M. J. O'Connell, deceased. Dated 3rd October, 1870.
- Captain Frederick Pritzler Muller to be Major, without purchase, vice David Reid, who retires on full-pay. Dated 3rd October, 1870.
- 2nd Foot*, Lieutenant William Watt, from 21st Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice A. T. Fisher, who exchanges. Dated 12th November, 1870.
- 3rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Edmund Palmer, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Thompson Ricard, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.
- 4th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Annesley Knox to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Thomas Wilson, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.
- Ensign Malby Edward Crofton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Knox. Dated 12th November, 1870.
- 9th Foot*, Major John Holmes Houston Gammell, from half-pay late 9th Foot, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Scott, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 12th November, 1870.
- 11th Foot*, Ensign Herbert Edward Penton, from 88th Foot, to be Ensign, vice S. H. Gardner, who exchanges. Dated 13th September, 1870.
- 12th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Guillum Scott Baugh, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice H. A. Sawyer, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th November, 1870.
- 13th Foot*, Ensign Frederick Walter Spencer-Stanhope, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Leonard F. Barkly, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Pierce Edward Hughes, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Spencer-Stanhope. Dated 12th November, 1870.

20th Foot, Captain John James S. O'Neill, from Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Adams, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 12th November, 1870.

27th Foot, Captain Arthur Hales, from half-pay, late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Captain, vice Edward T. Webb, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 12th November, 1870.

40th Foot, Lieutenant Albert Lloyd to be Captain, by purchase, vice Arthur Marquhard Champion-Möller, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Ensign Horatio Read to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lloyd. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Henry Edward Railston, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Read. Dated 12th November, 1870.

41st Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Gray to be Captain, by purchase, vice Mylrea Tellet Quayle, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Ensign Arthur Kennedy McCausland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gray. Dated 12th November, 1870.

43rd Foot, Lieutenant Hamlet Wade Cuppage to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert Mercer Tod, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Ensign Ralph Basnett Rastell Williamson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cuppage. Dated 12th November, 1870.

The Honourable Douglas Sandilands to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Williamson. Dated 12th November, 1870.

48th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Henry Travers, from half-pay late 24th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel J. G. R. Aplin, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 12th November, 1870.

57th Foot, Lieutenant Wyndham A. R. Thompson to be Captain, without purchase, vice Henry Miller Powell, deceased. Dated 27th October, 1870.

Ensign Henry Thomas Hughes-Hallett to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Thompson. Dated 27th October, 1870.

64th Foot, Lieutenant Almeric George Spencer to be Captain, by purchase, vice H. Fullerton Richmond, who retires. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Ensign Robert Henry Johnson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Spencer. Dated 12th November, 1870.

John Richard Povah, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Johnson. Dated 12th November, 1870.

65th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Alexander Thomas Weller, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Williams to be Assistant - Surgeon. Dated 12th November, 1870.

67th Foot, Captain Charles Morgan to be Major, by purchase, vice Daniel Thompson, who retires on half-pay. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Lieutenant John Eyles Blundell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Morgan. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Ensign John Leyborne Popham to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Blundell. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Lieutenant David M. Potter to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Blundell. Dated 12th November, 1870.

76th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Abraham Augustus Stewart, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Theodore Chapman, appointed to the Staff. Dated 12th November, 1870.

77th Foot, Ensign Charles Dilnot Stewart has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 12th November, 1870.

88th Foot, Ensign Smith H. Gardner, from 11th Foot, to be Ensign, vice H. E. Penton, who exchanges. Dated 13th September, 1870.

101st Foot, Gentleman Cadet Fairlie Russell Martin, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Miles, promoted. Dated 12th November, 1870.

102nd Foot, Surgeon Robert Beresford Smyth, M.B., having completed twenty years' full-pay service to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 1st April, 1867. Dated 8th October, 1870.

104th Foot, Lieutenant William Henry Curtis Smith has been permitted to retire from the Service. Dated 12th November, 1870.

107th Foot, The Commission of Major C. M. N. Fellowes to bear date *3rd*, instead of *2nd*, June, 1870, as stated in the Gazette of 28th June, 1870.

Ensign Thomas Reid Waugh Davidson to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. Allen, a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th June, 1870.

Ensign Walter Illingworth Haynes to be Lieutenant, vice Sir C. H. Leslie, Bart., a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th July, 1870.

108th Foot, Ensign Edward Locke Elliott to be Lieutenant, vice F. G. T. Welch, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 31st August, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet John Willoughby Wray, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Peile, promoted. Dated 12th November, 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant Cornelius O'Callaghan to be Captain, without purchase, vice W. Ormsby, deceased. Dated 7th October, 1870.

Ensign Edward Graham Macdonald to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice O'Callaghan. Dated 7th October, 1870.

Medical Department, Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Fuller, from the 4th Hussars, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Henry March Webb, M.B., who retires on half-pay. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Theodore Chapman, from the 76th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Abraham Augustus Stewart, M.D., appointed to the 76th Foot. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Veterinary Department, James Findlay, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Kemp, promoted. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Half-Pay, Captain Allen Noble Adams, from the 20th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Harbord Morant, half-pay, late 68th Foot, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, with the rank of Colonel in the Army. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Major David Reid, retired upon full-pay, late 1st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Captain James D. Dundas, 60th Foot, to be Major. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Captain F. V. Northey, 60th Foot, to be Major. Dated 12th November, 1870.

Staff-Surgeon Major Henry March Webb, M.B., who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 12th November, 1870.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Charles George James Arbuthnot, Colonel of the 72nd Foot, who died on the 21st October, 1870 :—

Lieutenant-General Sir George Henry Lockwood, K.C.B., Colonel of the 12th Lancers, to be General. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Major-General John Hankey Bainbrigge, Major Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Major-General Sir Arthur Augustus Thurlow Cunyngbame, K.C.B., Colonel of the 36th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel Edward Selby Smyth, from Major Unattached, serving with the rank of Brigadier-General, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 22nd October, 1870.

Major Arthur Scott, half-pay, late 5th Foot, to

be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Captain Robert Wolseley Haig, Royal Artillery,
to be Major. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

NEW ZEALAND WAR MEDAL.

Admiralty. S.W., November 5, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers and Men of the Royal Navy and Marines whose claims to the Medal for services in New Zealand during the wars in 1845, 1846, and 1847, and between the years 1860 and 1866, have been admitted, but whose medals have not yet been delivered to them, that they can now receive the same on application.

Notice is also given to those who may be entitled to the medal for services while belonging to any of the under-mentioned ships, and who have not yet applied for the same, that they should without delay send in their claims for investigation.

Applications may be made, either personally, at the Medal Branch, Admiralty, Somerset House, or by letter, addressed to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, S.W., with the words "Medal Branch" on the left-hand corner of the envelope.

Every claimant should state the rank or rating held by him during the war, and the name of the ship or ships on board which he served; also, in the case of every petty officer, seaman, marine, or boy, it is indispensable that his application should be accompanied by his certificate of service, except he should be serving on board any of Her Majesty's ships or at any of the Marine Head Quarters, in which case the application must be made through his commanding officer.

The medal is awarded to those only who were surviving on the 3rd June, 1869 (the date of the notice published in the London Gazette granting the medal), and who formed part of a Naval Brigade, and were actually engaged under fire on shore during the war, while borne on the books of the under-mentioned ships :—

H.M.S.	H.M.S.	H.M.S.
"Brisk,"	"Esk,"	"North Star,"
"Castor,"	"Falcon,"	"Niger,"
"Calliope,"	"Hazard,"	"Osprey,"
"Cordelia,"	"Harrier,"	"Pelorus,"
"Curaçoa,"	"Inflexible,"	"Racehorse."
"Driver,"	"Iris,"	
"Eclipse,"	"Miranda,"	

The Hon. East India Company's steamer "Elphinstone."

The Colonial steamer "Victoria."

Admiralty, 8th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, the under-mentioned Officers having completed fifteen years seniority in their respective ranks have become entitled to advancement from the dates stated against their names :—

Retired Commanders to be Retired Captains :

John Hay Crang, 29th September, 1870.

Robert Cooper Tatnall, 29th September, 1870.

Charles Maxwell Luckraft, 29th September, 1870.

Edward Burstal, 29th September, 1870.

Robert Douglas Stupart, 10th October, 1870.

Retired Lieutenants to be Retired Commanders :

Charles Rowland Scott, 23rd May, 1870.

John Adrian Vanrenen, 31st October, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st November, 1830, and 9th July, 1864 :—

Reserved Lieutenant Arthur Knox Forde to be Retired Commander from the 31st October, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Colonel John Talbot Clifton in the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia. Dated 1st November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel John Towneley in the 5th Regiment of the Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 2nd November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Henry O'Niel in the Cornwall Rangers Militia, and in consideration of his service to approve his being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, and permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cornwall.

Cornwall Rangers Militia.

Lieutenant William Coryton to be Captain.
Dated 3rd May, 1870.

Lieutenant Edwin Ley to be Captain. Dated 3rd May, 1870.

Frederick Coryton to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Militia.

Major Eustace Heathcote to be Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd November, 1870.

Major William Henry Digweed to be Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd November, 1870.

Hampshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet John Workman Lamb to be Lieutenant, vice Pigott Conant, resigned. Dated 8th November, 1870.

Cornet Alfred William Rycroft to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

East Kent Militia.

Arthur Robert Dering, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th November, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel John Alexander Hunter, of the 5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Joseph Deane Freeman, of the 5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 11,
1870.

THE names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Lords of the Council at the Exchequer on the Morrow of Saint Martin, in the thirty-fourth year of the reign of Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy : —

ENGLAND

(excepting Cornwall and Lancashire).

<i>Bedfordshire,</i>	Edward Henry Frederick Dawkins, of Muggerhanger Park, Esq.
	William Francis Higgins, of Turvey House, Esq.
	Harry Thornton, of Kempston, Esq.
<i>Berkshire,</i>	George Charles Cherry, of Denford House, Hungerford, Esq.
	Sir Nicholas William Throckmorton, of Buckland House, Bart.
	John Alves Arbuthnot, of Cowarth Park, Old Windsor, Esq.
<i>Bucks,</i>	Christopher Tower, of Huntsmoor Park, Esq.

Richard Rose, of The Chestnuts, Aylesbury, Esq.

The Honourable Matthew George Fortescue, of Dropmore.

Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire, } James Cropley, of Egremont House, Esq.

} Thomas Richards, of Wimb-
lington, Isle of Ely, Esq.,
James Montagu, of Elm, Isle
of Ely, and Melton-on-the-
Hill, Doncaster, Esq.

Cheshire, The Earl of Haddington, of
Eaton Bank.

Egerton Leigh, of Jodrell Hall,
Esq.

Sir Harry Mainwaring, of
Peover Hall, Bart.

Cumberland, William Banks, of Highmoor
House, Esq.

George Moore, of Whitehall,
Esq.

Thomas Holme Parker, of
Warwick Hall, Esq.

Derbyshire, Charles Robert Colville, of
Lullington, Esq.

Charles Rowland Palmer
Morewood, of Alfreton
Park, Esq.

The Honourable Frederick
Hunloke, of Wingerworth
Hall.

Devonshire, Sir Lydston Newman, of
Mamhead, Bart.

George Soltau Symons, of
Chaddlewood, Esq.

John George Johnson, of
Cross, Esq.

Dorsetshire,

John Tregonwell, of Cranborne, Esq.

Edward Joseph Weld, of Lulworth Castle, Esq.

Sir John Michel, of Dewlish, K.C.B.

Durham,

James Cookson, of Neasham Hall, Esq.

Rowland Burdon, of Castle Eden, Esq.

Charles Freville Surtees, of Mainsforth, Ferryhill, Esq.

Essex,

Loftus Wigram Arkwright, of Parndon Hall, Harlow, Esq.

Robert Gosling, jun., of Hassobury, Farnham, Esq.

Thomas Kemble, of The Hall, Runwell, Esq.

Gloucestershire,

William Playne, of Longfords, Minchinhampton, Esq.

Sir William Vernon Guise, of Elmore Court, near Gloucester, Bart.

Sir Thomas Hyde Crawley Boevey, of Flaxley, near Newnham, Bart.

Herefordshire,

Colonel Broadley Harrison, of Kynastone, near Ross.

Stephen Robinson, of the Moor, near Kington, Esq.

John Habington Barneby Lutley, of Brockhampton, Esq.

Hertfordshire,

Charles Longman, of Shendish, Hemel Hempsted, Esq.

Horace James Smith Bosanquet, of Broxbournebury, Esq.

- Thomas Curtis, of The Hall,
Great Berkhamstead, Esq.
- Kent,* Francis Philips, of Lee Priory,
Ickham, Esq.
Sir John Frederick Croft, of
Doddington, Bart.
- John Wingfield Stratford, of
Addington Place, Esq.
- Leicestershire,* Harry Leycester Powys Keck,
of Staughton Grange, Esq.
Sir Henry St. John Halford,
of Wistow Hall, Bart.
- Charles Brook, of Enderby,
Esq.
- Lincolnshire,* John Reeve, of Leadenham,
Esq.
- Sir Robert Sheffield, of Nor-
manby Park, Bart.
- Valentine Dudley Henry Cary
Elwes, of Bigby, Esq.
- Monmouthshire,* John Jefferies Stone, of Scy-
borwen, near Newport, Esq.
- James Charles Hill, of The
Brooks, Abergavenny, Esq.
- Thomas Cordes, of Brynglas,
near Newport, Esq.
- Norfolk,* Sir Henry Josias Stracey, of
Rackheath Park, Bart.
- William Angerstein, of Weet-
ing Hall, Esq.
- Henry Kett Thompson, of
Witchingham, Esq.
- Northamptonshire,* Sir Geoffrey Palmer, of Carl-
ton, Bart.
- Henry Osmond Nethercote, of
Moulton, Esq.
- Henry Thomas Salmon, of
Gayton House, Esq.

- Northumberland,* John George Frederick Hope-Wallace, of Featherstone Castle, Esq.
 Roddam John Roddam, of Roddam, Esq.
 Sir William George Armstrong, of Cragside, Knt.
- Nottinghamshire,* James Thorpe, of Coddington, Esq.
 George Thomas Davy, of Colston Bassett, Esq.
 William Mason, of Morton, near Retford, Esq.
- Oxfordshire,* Sir Algernon William Peyton, of Swift's House, Bart.
 Charles Sartoris, of Wilcote House, Esq.
 Arthur, Viscount Valentia, of Bletchington Park.
- Rutland.* John Harry Lee Wingfield, of Tickencote, Esq.
 Charles Cave John Orme, of Oakham, Esq.
 John Handley, of Clepsham, Esq.
- Shropshire,* William Kenyon Slaney, of Hatton Grange, Esq.
 John Henniker Lovett, of Fern Hill, Oswestry, Esq.
 Charles George Wingfield, of Onslow, Shrewsbury, Esq.
- Somersetshire,* Henry Cornish Henly, of Leigh House, Chard, Esq.
 Mordaunt Fenwick Bisset, of Bagborough, Taunton, Esq.
 George Henry Warrington Carew, of Crowcombe Court, Taunton, Esq.

- County of Southampton,* } Henry Compton, of Manor House, Minestead, Esq.
 John Brown Willis Fleming, of Chilworth House, Southampton, Esq.
 The Honourable Ralph Hen-
 eage Dutton, of Timsbury Manor, Romsey.
- Staffordshire,* Charles Walter Lyon, of Silver Hill, Esq.
 Henry Ward, of Oaklands, Esq.
 Francis Monckton, of Stretton, Esq.
- Suffolk,* Thomas Richard Mills, of Great Saxham, Esq.
 Henry Alexander Starkie Bence, of Thorington Hall, Esq.
 Sir Edward Sherlock Gooch, of Benacre Hall, Bart.
- Surrey,* Money Wigram, of Esher-place, Esq.
 Albert George Sandeman, of The Hollies, Weybridge, Esq.
 Gordon Wyatt Clark, of Strawberry Hill, Chesington, Esq.
- Sussex,* Walter Wyndham Burrell, of Cuckfield, Esq.
 Sir James Duke, of Loughton Place, Bart.
 Sir Charles William Blunt, of Heathfield Park, Bart.
- Warwickshire,* John Thomas Arkwright, of Hatton House, near Warwick, Esq.

Thomas Lloyd, of The Priory,
Warwick, Esq.

Charles Holte Bracebridge, of
The Hall, near Atherstone,
Esq.

Westmoreland,

William Henry Wakefield, of
Sedgwick, Esq.

Frank Atkinson Argles, of
Eversley, Milnthorpe, Esq.

Joseph Salkeld, of Temple-
sowerby, Penrith, Esq.

Wiltshire,

John William Gooch Spicer,
of Spy Park, Chippenham,
Esq.

Sir John Neeld, of Grittleton,
Chippenham, Bart.

Nathaniel Barton, of Corsley
House, Warminster, Esq.

Worcestershire,

William Hanford Flood, of
Wollas Hall, near Pershore,
Esq.

Henry Sales Scobell, of The
Abbey, Pershore, Esq.

Harry Foley Vernon, of Han-
bury Hall, Droitwich, Esq.

Yorkshire,

Sir Henry Edwards, of Pye
Nest, Bart.

Frederick Bacon Frank, of
Campsall Hall, Doncaster,
Esq.

George Lane Fox, of Bramham
Park, Tadcaster, Esq.

WALES.

NORTH AND SOUTH.

Anglesey,

John Jones, of Tre-anna, Esq.
John Wynne Paynter, of
Maes-y-llwyn, Esq.

William Williams, of Ty-fry,
Esq.

Breconshire,

Thomas John Evans, of Ty-
mawr-yn-y-Glyn, Esq.

Oliver Morgan Bligh, of Cil-
merry Park, Esq.

John Jayne, of Pantybailia,
Esq.

Cardiganshire,

Sidnev Henry Jones Parry, of
Tyllwyd, near Newcastle
Emlyn, Esq.

William Buck, of Stradmore,
near Llandissil, Esq.

John Edward Rogers, of Aber-
meirig, near Lampeter, Esq.

Carmarthenshire,

William Du Buisson, of Glyn-
hir, Llanelly, Esq.

Astley Thompson, of Glyn
Abbey, Esq.

John Davie Ferguson Davie,
of Derllys Court, Esq.

Carnarvonshire,

Robert Lloyd Jones Parry, of
Aberdunant, Esq.

John Griffith Wynn Griffith,
of Llanfair, Esq.

Owen Evans, of Broom Hall,
Esq.

Denbighshire,

Samuel Pearce Hope, of
Marchwiel Hall, Esq.

William Cornwallis West, of
Ruthin Castle, Esq.

James Hassal Foulkes, of Ilay
Place, Esq.

Flintshire,

Hugh Robert Hughes, of
Kinmel, Esq.

Edwin William Philips, of
Rhual, Esq.

- Thomas Griffies Dixon, of
Nant, Esq.
- Glamorganshire,* William Evans Williams, of
Pwll-y-pant, Esq.
- Vaughan Hanning Lee, of
Lanlay, near Pontypridd,
Esq.
- John Blandy Jenkins, of Lan-
harran, near Cowbridge,
Esq.
- Merionethshire* The Honourable Charles Henry
Wynne, of Rhug.
- Edward Foster Coulson, of
Corsygedol, Esq.
- Charles Edwards, of Dolseran
Hall, Esq.
- Montgomeryshire,* John Robinson Jones, of
Brithdir Hall, Esq.
- Henry Bertie Watkin Williams
Wynn, of Plas - nant - y -
Meichiad, Esq.
- Devereux Herbert Mytton, of
Garth, Esq.
- Pembrokeshire,* Moses Griffiths, of Manorowen,
Esq.
- Frederick Leopold Sapieha
Manteuffel de Rutzen (com-
monly called Baron Fre-
derick de Rutzen), of
Slebech, Esq.
- Richard Edward Arden, of
Pontfaen, Esq.
- Radnorshire,* Sir John James Walsham, of
Knill Court, near Walton,
Bart.
- John Stephens, of Castle Vale,
Esq.
- Robert Lewis Lloyd, of Nant-
gwilt, Rhayader, Esq.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 15,
 1870.

*The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber,
 Buckingham Gate,
 November 14, 1870.*

THE names of the Gentlemen who have been nominated to serve the office of Sheriff of the County of Cornwall :—

Arthur Tremayne, of Carclew, Esq.
 Richard Spry, of Cadden and Tregolls, Esq.
 Augustus Stephens, of Tregenna Castle, Esq.

(C. 1293.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
 November 14, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at this Court, announcing that the Austro-Hungarian Government have created an Hungarian Maritime Prefect, who will reside at the port of Fiume, and whose jurisdiction will extend over all the maritime authorities in the ports of Hungary and Croatia, who up to the present time have been included in the Central Maritime Prefecture of Trieste.

Admiralty, 11th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 26th October last :—

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets George Mackay, M D.

Dr. Mackay has been authorized to assume the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets from that date.

Admiralty, 12th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks from this date :—

Chief Engineer Charles M. Collins.

Paymasters :

Charles A. Shapcote.

Valentine Spain.

Assistant Paymasters :

Walmisley A. Dangerfield.

Francis B. Gilbert.

The undermentioned Officer has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer, with seniority of this date :—

Mr. William Henry Jenkins.

Admiralty, 14th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been

placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks :—

Staff Commander William Henry Petch, from the 31st October, 1870.

Staff Commander Petch has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander from the date of his retirement.

Lieutenant Christopher Clarke Hassall, from the 12th instant.

Navigating Lieutenant Joseph F. Atkinson, from the 7th instant.

Chaplain the Reverend Henry E. Yeoman, and Assistant Paymaster Charles F. G. Roberts, from this date.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Captain William Barrett to be Major, vice Adair, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel H. F. Custance, of the West Norfolk Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 18,
1870.

Foreign Office, October 19, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Gustavus Gaggiotti, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Ancona, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Ancona.

(C. 1300.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 17, 1870.*

WITH reference to the notice in the London Gazette of the 1st instant, publishing a translation of a Spanish Decree approving certain General Customs Ordinances, the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade give notice, that they have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a translation of the Appendices to the said General Customs Ordinances, and that these Appendices may be inspected upon application at the Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens.

Admiralty, 14th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Marcus Edmiston Smithett has been placed on the Retired List from the 7th October last.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Robert Loder, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 10th November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

Sir William Stirling Maxwell, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kincardine.

Forfar and Kincardine Artillery Militia.

Alexander Carnegie, Gent., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 2nd November, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London have been pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Colonel Samuel Wilson in the Royal London Militia.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Colonel Samuel Wilson retaining his rank and wearing the uniform of the Regiment of Royal London Militia on retirement.

*Commission signed by Her Majesty's Lieutenants
for the City of London.*

Royal London Militia.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir William Anderson Rose
to be Colonel, vice Samuel Wilson, resigned.
Dated 16th November, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

2nd Warwick Militia.

Charles George Wood Moore, Gent., to be Lieu-
tenant, vice Allenby, promoted. Dated 11th
November, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Major Nicholas Blundell, of the 2nd Regiment of
the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia, being
granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.
Dated 9th November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Lieutenant-Colonel John Edward Madocks, of the
7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, being
granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated
12th November, 1870.

Quartermaster Stephen Orrell, of the Essex
Rifles Militia, to serve with the rank of Lieu-
tenant.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 22,
 1870.

Downing Street, November 19, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Henry Constantine Huxtable, M.A., to be ordained and consecrated Bishop of the See of Mauritius.

Board of Trade,
November 19, 1870.

(M. 9595.)

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Decree issued by the Spanish Government, with respect to the service of Enrolled Seamen in the Mercantile Marine of Foreign Nations at peace with Spain : —

DECREE.

Art. 1. Enrolled seamen who have seen service, or who have given the substitution of the same by the measures authorised for that purpose by law, are completely at liberty to embark as the crew of foreign merchant vessels of any nationality not at war with Spain.

Art. 2. Any seaman, fulfilling the foregoing conditions, who is desirous of making use of this privilege, must make an application to the Branch authority at the place where he may happen to be, for the necessary permit, which will be for-

warded to him on the presentation of the documents in proof of his having served his time, or of being exempt from being liable to be called for service from having given the legal substitution.

Art. 3. In cases of the permit being given to persons whose enrolment (*matricula*) took place at a different spot to the one where the permit is requested, the Chief of the latter shall take care to make this fact known to the Chief of the Province where the interested party was registered, doing the same also, with respect to all, to the Spanish Consul at the foreign port whither the vessel is destined.

These latter officers may also of themselves grant these same permits after having assured themselves of the person's identity, reporting the same to the respective authorities in the Peninsula.

Art. 4. Spanish Consuls abroad will take every possible precaution to ensure Spanish sailors scrupulously fulfilling the stipulations in their contracts with the Owners or Captains of the ship on board of which they are serving.

Art. 5. All regulations are annulled contrary to this Decree, which may be suspended in extraordinary cases when, in the opinion of the Government, public convenience demands the same.

Madrid, 29th October, 1870.

(Signed) F. SERRANO.

J. MARIA DE BERANGER,
Minister of Marine.

(M. 9854.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
November 21, 1870.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the

following translation of a Circular forwarded by the Governor of Alexandria to Her Majesty's Consul at that place, upon the subject of a new regulation in regard to the requirements of the Custom-house in matters connected with Ships' Manifests :—

SIR, (Copy.)

His Excellency, the Director of the Custom-house, has written to me on the 30th Regeb, 1287, that the Custom-house dues are levied on the faith of the manifests, and that henceforth these manifests must be attested as correct by the authority of the port of departure, and bear his official seal. This measure will ensure perfect regularity and correctness, and is as much to the advantage of the Companies as of the Government. I therefore request you to communicate this decision to all the Shipping Companies under your jurisdiction, instructing them henceforth to hand over to the Custom-house the attestation to the manifests of the authority of the port of loading. A delay of thirty days has been granted before this comes into operation, and after this date no manifest will be accepted unless it bears this attestation.

I have sent a copy of this letter to all the Consuls.

(Signed) Accept, &c.,
HASSEM CHIRIM,
Governor of Alexandria.

(C. 1309.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 21, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

a despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, inclosing a copy of an Ordinance of the Hellenic Government, which requires all vessels and steamers upon arrival in Greece from any port where yellow fever is prevalent, to undergo quarantine at the Lazaret at Delos.

If the vessel has been ten days or more on the voyage, the quarantine will last for five days, during which time the vessel will be purified and fumigated.

If, however, the voyage shall have lasted less than ten days, the quarantine will be prolonged by so many days as the voyage may have fallen short of ten, and this although no case of sickness may have shown itself on board.

If during the voyage there shall have been a case of yellow fever or a death on board, the vessel will be subjected to a strict quarantine of eleven days at the Lazaret of Delos. These eleven days to count from the day on which the sick person shall have been disembarked. If during the performance of quarantine, a case of yellow fever shall show itself on board the vessel, the eleven days fixed for the duration of the quarantine will commence to count afresh from the days on which the sick person shall have quitted the vessel, and shall have been transferred to the Lazaret.

(C. 1295.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 21, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Minister at Florence, two Legislative Enactments of the Italian Government, modifying the Law relative to maritime and sanitary dues.

The following are the provisions of the Enactments in question :

Maritime Dues.

Every vessel, national or foreign, to pay an anchorage tax of 55 centimes per ton every time it may enter a port to transact commerce. Should the vessel load or unload in several ports, the tax need be paid once only. This will equally apply to passenger ships and ships carrying goods. Sailing vessels or steamers used as tugs will be exempt, upon payment of 1 lira 65 centimes per ton per annum. Steam-vessels will pay the tax once a month. Foreign vessels not assimilated to national vessels by Treaty will pay the double tax.

In calculating the tonnage, 40 per cent. will be deducted for the space of machinery.

Sanitary Dues.

Every vessel, national or foreign, upon entering a port will pay the following sanitary dues :

Steamers and sailing-vessels having touched at Ports in European and Asiatic Turkey, Egypt, Syria, or coming from the Coast of America or West Africa, except Morocco, and those vessels coming from countries beyond Cape Horn and the Suez Canal will pay 45 centimes per ton.

Steamers and sailing-vessels coming from any other foreign ports will pay 25 centimes per ton.

Ships touching at Italian ports without transacting commerce, as well as fishing-boats and coasting traders will be exempt.

In calculating tonnage in steamers 40 per cent. will be deducted for machinery, &c.

Vessels coming from foreign ports will pay the tax at the first port at which they touch.

A fee of 1 lira for vessels under 50 tons, and a fee of 3 lira for vessels of 50 tons and upwards, proceeding to Foreign Ports, will be charged for a Bill of Health.

War Office, Pall Mall,

22nd November, 1870.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Assistant-Surgeon John Henry Hunt, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Charles Gray, who exchanges. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Arthur White to be Colonel, vice H. D. Harness, C.B., removed from the Corps as a General Officer. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Joshua Wilson, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Whitc. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant Felician Rola de Wolski, employed in the Public Works Department in India, to be Seconded, but not to be succeeded in his Corps. Dated 2nd September, 1870.

The second Christian name of Lieutenant Brown, which appeared in the Gazette of 7th January, 1868, is *Faulkner*, and not *Faulker*, as therein stated.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain John Fletcher Hathorn to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Henry Armytage, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Ensign and Lieutenant Sir Frederick Assheton Des Vœux, Bart., to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Hathorn. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Charles, Lord Ossulston to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir F. A. Des Vœux, Bart. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

8th Foot, Captain Edwin Jervis, from half-pay, late 33rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Ernest Lewis, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

10th Foot, Ensign Robert Gardner Warton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Frederick Trevor Parker, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

William Graham, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Warton. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

11th Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Arthur Joyce Murray, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice N. C. Martelli, a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

15th Foot, Captain Charles Pell Heigham, from half-pay, late 25th Foot, to be Captain, vice William Sugden Jemmett, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Kennedy Brooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice C. P. Heigham, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Ensign Arthur Bowles to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Brooke. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

16th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Whitworth Lloyd to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard Henry Freeman, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Ensign Frederick John Harden to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lloyd. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

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William Nicholas Biddulph, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Harden. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

47th Foot, Captain Valentine O'Connor, from half-pay late 80th Foot, to be Captain, vice Henry Gem, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant J. D. Macpherson, from half-pay late 65th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Edward M. Manning, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Ensign Harry Cooper to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice J. D. Macpherson, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

William Henry Gunner, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cooper. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

57th Foot, Lieutenant James R. K. Tredennick to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Thompson, promoted. Dated 12th November, 1870.

61st Foot, Ensign Maurice Charles O'Connell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Owen Wynne, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

68th Foot, Captain Charles Covey, from half-pay, late 68th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. J. R. Villiers-Stuart, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles C. Hood to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Charles Covey, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 4th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Herbert C. Molyneux to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant C. C. Hood, appointed Adjutant. Dated 4th November, 1870.

69th Foot, Lieutenant Peregrine Maitland French to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert L. Thorpe, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Ensign Alexander Baulislaus Gzowski to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice French. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Edmund Randolph, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Gzowski. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

71st Foot, Ensign Alan Cameron to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Winship Percival Roche, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

72nd Foot, Captain John Macleod Tingcombe, from half-pay late 91st Foot, to be Captain, vice Thomas Francis Pardoe, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

98th Foot, Lieutenant Allan Græme Raper to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard Townley, who retires. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Ensign James Francis Jameson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Raper. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Griffith Allen, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Jameson. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Jenico J. Preston to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant L. V. Swaine, who resigns that appointment. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward Annesley Pegge Burnell to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Grant, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 31st October, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Gray, from the Royal Artillery, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Henry Hunt, who exchanges. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

1st West India Regiment, Ensign William Graham, from the 10th Foot, to be Ensign,

vice Macdonald, promoted. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Edmond Birch, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. V. Rolleston, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon Major Henry Lionel Cowen to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice Richard George Davys Banon, who retires on half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon John James Henry to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff-Surgeon-Major Henry Lionel Cowen, promoted. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Chaplain's Department, Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend J. B. H. Harris, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 22nd October, 1870.

Half-Pay, Lieutenant David Barry Moriarty, from 6th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

Major-General Sir William Thomas Denison, K.C.B., retired full-pay Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Colonel Henry Drury Harness, C.B., Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, vice Sir William Thomas Denison, K.C.B., who retires upon full-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sydney Joseph Hire, Bengal Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 28th May, 1870.

Paymaster and Honorary Major James Robinson, retired upon half-pay late Recruiting District, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 26th July, 1870.

Riding-Master Clark Morris, retired upon half-pay late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 5th June, 1870.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Richard George Davys Banon, who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Admiralty, 18th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Reserved Captain John Ross Ward has been advanced to the list of Captains Retired, under Orders in Council of 24th April, 1847, 25th June, 1851, and 26th July, 1867, from the 29th ultimo.

Mr. George Tueker, Inspector of Machinery Afloat, has been placed on the Retired List from the 11th instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ross.

Henry Alexander Butler Johnstone, Esq., younger, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th November, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Colonel George Bryan Milman to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1870.

2nd Tower Hamlets (Queen's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

William Henry Bourke, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary) Dated 15th November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Robert Pipon in the 2nd Royal Tower Hamlets (Queen's Own Light Infantry) Militia. Dated 29th September, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Queen's Own Dorset Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Marwood Shuttleworth Yeatman to be Major, vice Farquharson, deceased. Dated 17th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Thomas Bowyer Bower to be Captain, vice Yeatman, promoted. Dated 17th November, 1870.

Cornet Thomas Merthyr Guest to be Lieutenant, vice Bower, promoted. Dated 17th November, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Daniel Charles Maunsell to be Captain, vice Blyth, resigned. Dated 12th November, 1870.

3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

William Denoon Campbell to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

1st King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

George Canning Talbot, Gent., to be Lieutenant,
Dated 12th November, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
West Riding of the County of York and of
the City and County of the City of York.*

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Edwin Arthur Nicholetts, Gent., to be Lieutenant,
vice Burnett, who retires. Dated 27th October,
1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
North Riding of the County of York.*

North York Regiment of Militia.

James Wilson Richardson, Gent., to be Lieu-
tenant. Dated 17th November, 1870.

Crown Office, November 16, 1870.

Days and Places appointed for holding Special
Commissions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol
Delivery :—

Derbyshire, Monday, December 12, at Derby.

Durham, Saturday, December 10, at Durham.

*Glamorganshire, Tuesday, December 6, at
Cardiff.*

*County of Southampton, Saturday, December 3,
at the Castle of Winchester.*

Leicestershire, Wednesday, December 14, at Leicester.

Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the borough of Leicester.

Norfolk, Tuesday, December 20, at the Castle of Norwich.

City of Norwich, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Northamptonshire, Saturday, December 10, at Northampton.

Staffordshire, Saturday, December 3, at Stafford.

Warwickshire, Monday, December 12, at Warwick.

Worcestershire, Friday, December 9, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the City of Worcester.

Yorkshire, North and East Riding Division, Wednesday, December 7, at the Castle of York.

City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Yorkshire, West Riding Division, Wednesday, November 30, at Leeds.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 25,
1870.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 24th day of
October, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare Her consent to a Contract of Matrimony between Her Royal Highness The Princess Louise Caroline Alberta, and John Douglas Sutherland Campbell (commonly called the Marquess of Lorne), which consent Her Majesty has also caused to be signified under the Great Seal.

War Office, November 24, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Osborne Creagh-Osborne, of the 1st Battalion, 6th Regiment, to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Crown Office, November 24, 1870.

MEMBER, returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Newport.

Isle of Wight.

Charles Cavendish Clifford, of Westfield, Ryde,
Esq., in the room of Charles Wykeham Martin,
Esq., deceased.

Whitchall, November 16, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Clementina Elizabeth Heatheote, Dowager Lady Aveland, widow and relict of Gilbert John Heathcote, Baron Aveland, of Aveland, in the county of Lincoln, eldest daughter of Peter Robert Drummond-Burrell, Baron Willoughby de Eresby, in the county of Lincoln, by Clementina Sarah his wife, only child and heir of James Drummond, Lord Perth, Baron Drummond, of Stobb Hall, in the county of Perth, and sister and co-heir of Alberic Drummond-Willoughby, Baron Willoughby de Eresby, all deceased, her Royal licence and authority that she may, in compliance with a direction contained in a Deed of Entail executed by her mother, the said Clementina Sarah Baroness Willoughby de Eresby, bear and use the surname of Drummond in addition to and after that of Heatheote, and bear the arms of Drummond; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1319.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 24, 1870.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of the Custom House Law for the ensuing year, which received the sanction of the Government of the Argentine Confederation, on the 21st September last :—

CHAP. 1.

All merchandize from abroad will pay on entry for consumption a duty of 20 per cent. *ad valorem*, except the following articles that pay a duty of 25 per cent. *ad valorem*, viz. :—

Art. 1. Aguardiente (spirits), sugar, coffee, beer, liqueurs, tobacco, tea, vinegar, wine, yerba.

The following pay a duty of 10 per cent.

Ploughs, coal, iron in plates, bar and wire, timber, gold and silver wrought, with or without precious stones, unset precious stones, common salt, silks, all articles mounted in gold or silver when such mounting increases their value by one-third.

Art. 2. The following are duty free :—
 Fire engines, shooks.

Articles shipped direct from a foreign port for religious purposes to religious communities.

Fresh fruit, stock for feeding, ice, printing materials, firewood and charcoal, printed books, corn and cornflour imported by land, engines and machinery for steamers, and all machinery in the opinion of the Executive necessary for new industries and calculated to encourage agriculture, mining, and the arts and sciences.

Furniture and tools belonging to emigrants, or for the exclusive establishment of colonies.

Gold and silver in coin or bullion.

Plants of every species, printing-paper, paper for telegraphs, presses, lithography, seeds for agricultural purposes, printing ink and for lithographers.

CHAP. II.

Export Duties.

Art. 3.

1st. All produce or manufactured goods are free of export duties save the following, which shall pay six per cent. *ad valorem*—animal oil, horns and horn-tips, jerked and salt beef, horse-hair, cow and horse hides of every kind, hide-cuttings, bones and bone-ash, skins in general save sheepskins, ostrich feathers, tallow and grease raw or rendered.

2nd. The following shall pay two per cent. export duty *ad valorem*—sheepskins, dirty and washed wool.

CHAP. III.

Calculation of Duties.

Art. 4. The duties shall be arranged by a tariff of valuation, and calculated in imported goods on their value in deposit, and in exports on their market value at date of shipment. The tariff shall hold without alteration for one year.

Art. 5. The duties on imports not included in the tariff shall be calculated on the invoice price, which must be accompanied by an affidavit as to its correctness by the owners or consignees, increased 10 per cent. for silks and jewellery, and 20 per cent. for other articles. The Custom-house can retain for twenty-four hours for account of the Treasury, all goods the invoice of which

appears incorrect, first paying to the consignees or owners bills of the Treasury for the amount of said goods, with 10 per cent. additional.

Art. 6. The executive shall classify and fix the values of merchandize and produce that are to be included in the tariff mentioned in Art. I. The valuation on washed wool shall be no greater than what the tariff stipulates for unwashed.

Art. 7: The leakage allowed on wines, aguardiente, liquors, expressed in sec. 1 of art. 1, shall be ten per cent. for vessels from beyond the line, six per cent. for vessels this side of the line, and 3 per cent. within the Capes. Five per cent. for breakage shall be allowed on oil, spirits, beer, liqueurs, vinegar, and wine in bottles. This leakage and breakage shall only be allowed in the first port where the goods are first imported.

8. Export duties shall be paid at the first port of shipment, being articles cleared direct for foreign parts, and cannot be transported by water from one point to another of the Republic without having first paid the duties or given the usual security. For such duties, as well as for import duty, approved bills, to the satisfaction of the Customs' authorities, shall be given on stamped paper, at four months.

9. Duties may be paid, at any of the Custom-houses of the Republic, in any of the moneys declared legal tender by law of October 26th, 1863, or in the paper-money of Buenos Ayres, or in Bolivian silver at its current value, or in Provincial Bank certificates for specie deposits. The copper currency shall only be received in the proportion of 2 per cent. on the amount payable, and no vouchers or documents shall be received in payment of duties.

10. Goods that have paid import duties in any Custom-house of the Republic may pass free

throughout its territory; but the land-transit is forbidden to those that have not paid duties, except in the case of goods passing from Concordia, through Federacion and Restauracion, to the Brazilian ports on the Uruguay, or *vice versâ*; also excepting goods in transit from Paraguay, passing through Federacion or Restauracion, for Brazil or the Republic of Paraguay.

Also goods sent to the Custom-house of Cordova from Rosario by the Central Argentine Railway, and goods coming from Chile by the province of Salta to the Custom-house of Jujuy.

Admiralty, 22nd November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 17th instant :—

Chief Engineer Charles J. Serjeant.

The undermentioned Officer has been this day promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Service :—

Mr. George Hunt (a).

Admiralty, 23rd November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Peter Frederick Shortland has been placed on the Retired List from the 21st instant.

The undermentioned Officer has been this day promoted to the rank of Inspector of Machinery Afloat :—

Frederick Henry Hodd, Esq.

Admiralty, 24th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date :—

Assistant Paymaster Nicholas J. Aaron.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the Right Honourable Edward Berkeley, Lord Portman, being Vice Lieutenant of the County of Dorset during the absence of the Lord Lieutenant from this country. Dated 17th November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ross.

William Arthur David Inglis, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland and Newcastle Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Matthew W. Ridley to be Captain, vice Anderson, resigned. Dated 17th November, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 29, 1870.

Foreign Office, October 28, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Alan Henderson, Esq., now Her

Majesty's Consul at Callao, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the States of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, to reside at Boston.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Joseph Hutchinson, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Callao.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Henry William Hemans, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Buffalo, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of Grand Pará, Amazonas, and Maranhão, to reside at Pará.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint James de Vismes Drummond Hay, Esq., C.B., now Her Majesty's Consul at Pará, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Valparaíso.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Lewis Joel, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Bolívar, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario.

Foreign Office, November 26, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry Fox as Consul at Plymouth for the Republic of Liberia.

Whitehall, November 26, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Nathaniel Massey; the Right Honourable Charles Stewart, Viscount Hardinge; the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Carlisle; the Right Honourable Sir John Somerset Pakington, Bart., G.C.B.; the Right Honourable Jonathan Peel, Lieutenant-General in the Army; the Right Honourable William Francis Cowper-Temple; Sir John Salusbury Trelawny, Bart.; Sir Walter Charles James, Bart.; Richard

Collinson, Esq., C.B., Vice-Admiral in the Navy ; Charles Buxton, Esq. ; Myles William O'Reilly, Esq. ; Peter Rylands, Esq. ; Anthony John Muddella, Esq. ; Thomas Henry Huxley, Esq., LL.D., President of the Geological Society, Professor of Natural History in the Royal School of Mines ; Robert Gregory, Clerk, M.A., Canon of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, London ; John Frederick Denison Maurice, Clerk, M.A., Professor of Moral Philosophy in the University of Cambridge ; John Hannah, Clerk, D.C.L. ; Samuel Wilks, Esq., M.D. ; John Henry Bridges, Esq., M.D. ; George Edward Paget, Esq., M.D. ; Timothy Holmes, Esq., F.R.C.S. ; Holmes Coote, Esq., M.R.C.S. ; George Campbell, Esq. ; George Woodyatt Hastings, Esq. ; and Mr. Robert Applegarth ; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to inquire into and report upon the Administration and operation of the Contagious Diseases Acts (1866 to 1869), with power to suggest whether the same should be amended, maintained, extended, or repealed.

Whitehall, November 28, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Guthrie Smith Esq., to be Sheriff of the Shires of Aberdeen and Kincardine, as constituted by an Act of the 33rd and 34th years of Her Majesty's reign.

Downing Street, November 26, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Gorrie, Esq., to be Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court, and Gustave Barthélemy Colin, Esq., to be Procureur and Advocate-General of the Island of Mauritius.

(C. 1332.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 28, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, enclosing an Order issued by the Hellenic Minister for Foreign Affairs, imposing quarantine upon all steamers and sailing vessels upon their arrival in a Greek port from any place where cholera is prevalent.

The quarantine will have to be performed at the lazaretto which has been established at Delos, and is more especially directed against vessels arriving direct from the Russian ports on the Black Sea.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
29th November, 1870.*

18th Regiment of Hussars.

Major-General Edward Cooper Hodge, C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Sir C. R. O'Donnell, deceased. Dated 13th November, 1870.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Cornet Francis James Ashburner to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lee, promoted. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Rudolph Hamilton Spencer, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ashburner. Dated 30th November, 1870.

4th Dragoon Guards, The second Christian name of Cornet Hussey is *Hubert*, and not *Herbert*, as stated in the Gazette of 21st October, 1870.

5th Lancers, Lieutenant William Johnson, from half-pay late Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment,

to be Lieutenant, vice John William Malam, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Alexander Masters, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice David Gerald Butler, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

16th Lancers, Cornet George Graham to be Quartermaster, vice James Fuller, who retires on half-pay. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Edward Arthur Williams, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Thomas Beckett Feilding Marriott, removed as a General Officer. Dated 24th October, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Henry John Alexander Fraser, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Williams, C.B., promoted. Dated 24th October, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Taylor, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Samuel Pratt Woodfull, promoted. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Acting Veterinary - Surgeon Benjamin Lucas Glover to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Leopold Richard Seymour to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Alfred Molyneux Byng, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Ensign and Lieutenant Cosmo Brice Pearse to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Seymour. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Arthur Maurice Blake, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pearse. Dated 30th November, 1870.

1st Foot, Ensign Edward Baynes Nixon has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1870.

4th Foot, Lieutenant Herbert John Mainwaring Williams to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Ralph Carr, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Ensign Thomas Bulkeley Knight Webb to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 30th November, 1870.

5th Foot, Ensign Charles George Heathcote to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Orby Harison, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Henry Hanbury Davies, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Heathcote. Dated 30th November, 1870.

8th Foot, Ensign James Matthew Taylor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Walter Bell Marley, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

10th Foot, Frank Robert Lowth, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Charles Tasker Evans, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

16th Foot, Ensign William Henry Young to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Mainwaring, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Reginald Fawkes, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Young. Dated 30th November, 1870.

19th Foot, Captain George Edwin Borradaile from Madras Staff Corps, to be Captain, vice William Shapter Hunt, who exchanges. Dated 30th November, 1870.

22nd Foot, Lieutenant George James Croasdale, from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice B. S. Brookes, who exchanges. Dated 30th November, 1870.

40th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Henry King to be Captain, by purchase, vice Arthur Frederick FitzSimons, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Ensign Frederick William George Hibbert Nelson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice King. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Alan Gardner, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Nelson. Dated 30th November, 1870.

44th Foot, Surgeon Daniel Macqueen, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 1st April, 1867. Dated 5th November, 1870.

46th Foot, Lieutenant John Reeves, from 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice, C. C. Pearson, who exchanges. Dated 30th November, 1870.

58th Foot, Ensign William James Alexander Birch has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1870.

76th Foot, Ensign John Dowling Howden to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Jasper Nicolls Anderson, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick Deffield Welchman, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Howden. Dated 30th November, 1870.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant Booth Hay Metcalfe to be Captain, by purchase, vice George William

Cockburn, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Ensign the Honourable Ederic Frederick Gifford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Metcalfe. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Gerald Bernard Hervey, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice the Honourable E. F. Gifford. Dated 30th November, 1870.

90th *Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Seward, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Alexander Thomson, M.D., who exchanges, Dated 30th November, 1870.

102nd *Foot*, Major and Brevet-Colonel John Blick Spurgin, C.S.I., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Thomas Raikes, C.B., who retires on half-pay. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Captain Edward Staines Daniell to be Major, vice Brevet-Colonel Spurgin, C.S.I. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Reginald Coleridge Parry to be Captain, vice James Lumsden Seton, who retires. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Nathaniel James Comins Stevens to be Captain, vice Daniell. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Ensign Augustus Henry Hornsby to be Lieutenant, vice Parry. Dated 30th November, 1870.

1st *West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Charles Christie Pearson, from 46th *Foot*, to be Lieutenant, vice J. Reeves, who exchanges. Dated 30th November, 1870.

2nd *West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Benjamin Sculthorp Brookes, from 22nd *Foot*, to be Lieutenant, vice G. J. Croasdale, who exchanges. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, Alexandro Mattei, Gent., to be Lieutenant, with local and temporary rank, vice Portelli, promoted. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Control Department, African Branch, The name of the Assistant-Commissary, appointed in the Gazette of 19th August last, is *F. E. Bennett*, and not *F. C. Bennett*, as then stated.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon-Major George Cunningham Meikleham, M.D., to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice William Home, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Pratt Woodfull, from Royal Artillery to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major George Cunningham Meikleham, M.D., promoted. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Thomson, M.D., from 90th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas Seward. M.D., who exchanges. Dated 30th November, 1870.

BREVET.

Major-General Arthur Joseph Taylor, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 24th October, 1870.

Colonel Thomas Beckett Feilding Marriott, from the Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, vice Taylor, retired upon full-pay. Dated 24th October, 1870.

Major Samuel William Henry Hawker, 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th October, 1870.

Captain William Henry Carleton, 21st Foot, to be Major. Dated 24th October, 1870.

Paymaster and honorary Captain Frederick Francis Fereday, 83rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th November, 1870.

Quartermaster James Fuller, retired upon half-pay, late 16th Lancers, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 30th November, 1870.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Sir Charles Routledge O'Donnell, Colonel of the 18th Hussars, who died on the 18th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-General Sir Patrick Grant, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Colonel of the 78th Foot to be General. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Major-General William Abraham Le Mesurier, Major half-pay, late 45th Foot, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Major-General James Kerr Ross, Major, half-pay, unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Major-General Eardley Wilmot, Major, half-pay, unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Major-General Lewis A. During, Major, half-pay, unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Major-General Joshua Simmons Smith to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel Edmund Richard Jeffreys, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late Depot Battalion, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868. Such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 19th November, 1870.

Major Charles Rowley Platt, half-pay, late 6th

Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Captain Richard Warren, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 19th November, 1870.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in succession to General Charles M. Carmichael, C.B., Colonel of the 20th Hussars, who died on the 21st of November, 1870.

Lieutenant-General Sir Robert John Hussey Vivian, K.C.B., Colonel of the 102nd Foot to be General. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

Major-General Henry Arthur O'Neill to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Francis Colborne, C.B., from Major, half-pay, late 6th Foot, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 22nd November, 1870.

Major Hamilton Charles Smith, 80th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

Captain Richard Hugh Stotherd, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Augustus Wood, V.C., Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 12th February, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard King Freeth, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Montagu Maxwell Ommanney, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Arthur Gildea, 81st Foot. Dated 10th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Hart Dunne, 99th Foot. Dated 25th November, 1870.

The undermentioned officers of the Royal Marine Light Infantry, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels under the provisions of the 5th clause of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 13th November, 1858 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Alfred Garner Wright. Dated 10th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Wentworth Forbes. Dated 10th November, 1870.

The undermentioned officers who have retired upon full-pay from Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, to have a step of honorary rank, as follows :—

Colonel Edward Lascelles Dennys, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 30th November, 1870.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Mardon Wallace James, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Noel Hill Lynch. Madras Infantry. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Smyth, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Llewellyn Paxton, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick William Ripley. Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th November 1870.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Charles Heskett Case, Madras Infantry.
Dated 30th November, 1870.

To have the Honorary Rank of Captain.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Francis
Bunyer, Bombay Establishment. Dated 19th
June, 1870.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary John Murray,
Bombay Establishment. Dated 12th August,
1870.

To have the Honorary Rank of Lieutenant.

Ensign and Assistant Commissary Henry Penrose,
Bombay Establishment. Dated 19th June,
1870.

To have the Honorary Rank of Ensign.

Deputy Assistant Commissary David Johnstone,
Bengal Establishment. Dated 19th May, 1870.

Deputy Assistant Commissary David Sadler,
Bombay Establishment. Dated 19th June
1870.

Deputy Assistant Commissary David Vint, Bombay
Establishment. Dated 19th June, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the 3rd, 10th, and 27th Regiments of Her Majesty's Bombay Native Infantry being in future clothed, equipped, and designated as Regiments of Light Infantry, in consideration of the excellent services performed by these Corps during the Abyssinian Expedition.

Admiralty, 28th November, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Lewis Barstow has been placed on the Retired List from the 27th instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.

1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.

Herbert Godfrey Mundy, Esq., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 1st November, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable T. G. Cholmondeley, of the 1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 21st November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Egerton Leigh, of the 1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain C. H. France, of the 1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 21st November, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Captain Thomas Goulburne Parker to be Major, vice James Greenwood, deceased. Dated 16th November, 1870.

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Anthony Smyth, Esq., late Captain 28th Foot, to be Captain, vice Meredith Thompson, resigned.
Dated 14th November, 1870.

George Dashwood Baker, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice William Bellhouse Midwood, promoted.
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Lancashire Hussar Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Edward Henry Petre to be Captain.
Dated 19th October, 1870.

Cornet Edmund Park Yates to be Lieutenant.
Dated 19th October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Montague Cecil Broun, Gent., late Lieutenant 15th Hussars, to be Cornet, vice Lamb, promoted. Dated 8th November, 1870.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 24 Vic., c. 5, and dated the 11th June, 1866, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th December, 1870, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th December next; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to June, 1871, will be at the rate of two pounds ten shillings per centum per annum.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
29th November, 1870.

Treasury, November 28, 1870.

It is hereby notified that, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, the following situations throughout Her Majesty's Civil Establishments are withdrawn from Schedule A of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870 :—

List of situations above referred to, viz. :—

The situations held by—

Office Keepers.

Messengers.

Porters and Gate Keepers.

Journeymen Artificers.

Park Keepers and Woodmen.

Workmen.

Firelighters and Firemen.

Cleaners.

Labourers.

Warders, Matrons, and other Subordinate.

Servants in Prisons and Hospitals.

Attendants.

Domestic Servants (Male and Female).

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 2,
1870.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to the thirteenth day of December next: We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council,

hereby issue Our Royal Proclamation, and publish and declare that the said Parliament be further prorogued to Tuesday, the seventeenth day of January next.

Given at Our Court at *Windsor*, this twenty-ninth day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and in the thirty-fourth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 29th day of *November*, 1870.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the day to which the same now stand prorogued to Wednesday, the eighteenth day of January next; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 29th day of *November*, 1870.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to sanction the grant of a piece of land, containing about one acre and

two roods, situated in the district chapelry of Haydon Bridge, in the parish of Warden, in the county of Northumberland, to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and their successors, to be appropriated as an additional churchyard or burial ground of the district chapelry of Haydon Bridge.

Windsor Castle, November 29, 1870.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :

Marshal the Duke of Sandanha, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Portugal and the Algarves, to deliver his Credentials and the Letter of Recall of his Predecessor ; and

Señor Don Carlos Gutierrez, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Costa Rica, to deliver his Credentials;

To which audiences they were respectively introduced by Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Windsor Castle, November 29, 1870.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on James Pennethorne, Esq., late Architect to the Board of Works and of the Woods and Forests.

Downing Street, November 30, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Fyfe, Esq., to be Queen's Advocate for Her Majesty's Settlement of Sierra Leone, on the Western Coast of Africa.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
November 30, 1870.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the decoration of the "Albert Medal of the Second Class" on :—

CAPTAIN EDWARD GILES, Indian Navy,
Master Attendant at Kurrachee.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the decoration has been conferred :—

The barque "Alicia," of Greenock, was driven upon the bar of Kurrachee Harbour, at 4.20 P.M. of the 20th June, 1868, in very heavy weather, and at the height of a south-west monsoon, when the bar is covered with a continuous line of heavy breakers at all times of tide. The sea at once made a complete breach over the vessel, washing boats and everything else from her decks, and obliging the crew to take to the mizen rigging.

CAPTAIN GILES, the Master Attendant, and Mr. Robert Henry Mason, Senior Pilot at Kurrachee, made attempts to reach the stranded vessel in two boats twenty-five feet long, fitted as life boats, and manned by natives.

CAPTAIN GILES' boat on entering the breakers was swept back half filled, but was carried into comparatively smooth water.

By great exertion however, he brought her within 50 feet of the vessel, the confused mass of surging wreck threatening instant destruction if he had approached nearer.

The shipwrecked crew were at first too frightened to attempt to leave their vessel, but eventually, upon a light line being successfully flung on board

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of her, two seamen and the pilot hauled themselves by means of it through the water, and were got into the boat. The boat up to this time had been kept clear by bailing, but now, being half filled by a heavy sea which struck her, was compelled at once to return, and the three men were transferred to another boat waiting in smooth water.

A little before sunset CAPTAIN GILES was again by the wreck, passing through the midst of broken spars and all kinds of wreckage. Having rescued six more men, he was taking them ashore when a wave rolled over the boat and filled her, breaking her rudder and six oars, and sweeping three of her crew overboard. The following roller fortunately carried these men into smooth water, where they were picked up by the waiting boats.

Both of the station life boats were now disabled ; but as some of the crew still remained on board the "Alicia," CAPTAIN GILES determined upon a further attempt in the boat of the tug "Dagmar." This boat was fitted with cork floats, but was heavy. After great exertion the wreck was reached, and the remaining men, with the exception of the master, were got into the boat, when she was carried away half filled.

The master of the "Alicia," who had jumped overboard with a plank, was carried in the direction of the waiting boats, and ultimately picked up.

The Commissioner of Scinde, in bringing the case to the notice of the Governor of Bombay, bears testimony to the "conspicuous bravery" of CAPTAIN GILES, in thus rescuing fourteen persons during a strong gale of wind and very high sea, a service which occupied three hours, at any moment of which the boats in the surf ran risk of being swamped.

(C. 1337.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 30, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Lord President of the Council, a copy of a Despatch from the Lieutenant-Governor of British Honduras, reporting that New Orleans is infected with Yellow Fever, and that, consequently, all vessels arriving therefrom will be subjected to quarantine.

Admiralty, 29th November, 1870.

The undermentioned Engineer Officer has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Service, with seniority of this day's date :—

Edward Brown.

Admiralty, 1st December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant the Honourable Montolieu Fox Murray has been placed on the Retired List from the 28th November, 1870, and has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander from that date.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Dorset.*

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Henry Brouncker to be Captain, vice Gollop, resigned. Dated 25th November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Herbert Williams in the Queen's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry, and to approve of his retaining his rank, and being permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 26th November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

East Kent Militia.

Corbet John Coventry, Gent., late Lieutenant 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice McKenna, resigned. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel John Farnaby Lennard, of the Kent Artillery Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Westmorland.

Royal Westmorland Regiment of Militia.

William Pitt Draffen, Esq., late Adjutant Westmorland Militia, and half-pay Royal Marine Artillery, to be Major, vice Harrison, resigned. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by

Lieutenant Sir Charles Michael Wolseley, Bart.,
in the 2nd King's Own Staffordshire Militia.
Dated 28th November, 1870.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 6,
1870.

Windsor Castle, November 29, 1870.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the
honour of Knighthood on Llewellyn Turner,
Esq., Deputy Constable of Carnarvon Castle.

War Office, December 6, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give
orders for the appointment of William George
Anderson, Esq., Assistant Comptroller and
Auditor-General of the Exchequer and Audit
Department, to be an Ordinary Member of the
Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights
Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of
the Bath.

Foreign Office, November 30, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to
appoint the Honourable Francis John Pakenham,
now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at
Brussels, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Lega-
tion at Washington.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to
appoint Francis Clare Ford, Esq., now Secretary
to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington, to be
Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Brussels.

(C. 1347.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 5, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of an Order issued by the Spanish Minister of Finance, permitting the importation from abroad of all descriptions of fish, through the Custom-house of Ayamonte, in the province of Huelva.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
6th December, 1870.*

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, William Causfield Gerard, Gent., to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hector John Gurdon-Rebow, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Staff Surgeon John Ogilvy, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major John Irvine, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 7th December, 1870.

1st Foot, Lieutenant Charles Atkinson Logan to be Captain, without purchase, vice Muller, promoted. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Ensign William Henry McCausland to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Logan. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Ensign Arthur William Sheringham to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice W. H. McCausland, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 3rd October, 1870.

Ensign George Seaforth Rodon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sheringham, whose promotion by purchase, on the 5th November, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Quartermaster James Robinson, from half-pay late 61st Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice J. E. Stokes, whose transfer from a Depôt Battalion, on 9th April, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 7th December, 1870.

2nd Foot, Lieutenant Henry Flood to be Captain, without purchase, vice Mountifort H. T. Lloyd, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Captain John Lysaght Hewson, from half-pay late 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice John Charles Grant, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 8th December, 1870.

Ensign Albert Evers to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Flood. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Robert Thomas Hanford Flood, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Evers. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward Warren Broderick to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. S. Tupper, who has proceeded to join the Depôt Companies. Dated 12th October, 1870.

21st Foot, Lieutenant Francis MacKenzie Salmon to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. N. Carey, promoted. Dated 24th September, 1870.

27th Foot, Captain Henry Cowell to be Major, without purchase, vice O'Donnell, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Captain George Eugene Logan, from the 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice Cowell. Dated 7th December, 1870.

28th Foot, Captain and Brevet-Major Compton Alwyne S. Dickins to be Major, without purchase, vice Charles Frederick Hutton, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Elliott Christie C. Farnall to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Dickins. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Ensign William Holcombe Francis to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Farnall. Dated 7th December, 1870.

36th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon David Arthur Leslie, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Henry Reynolds, M.B., appointed to the Staff. Dated 7th December, 1870.

38th Foot, Ensign Leonard William Christopher to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice John Dilwyn Thomas, deceased. Dated 12th October, 1870.

40th Foot, Ensign Herbert Samuel Davis Gillman, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 7th December, 1870.

41st Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Drummond Currie to be Captain, by purchase, vice Ralph Sadler, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Ensign William Potter Newall to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Currie. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Henry John Shaw Kennedy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Newall. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Staff Surgeon Curtiss Martin to be Surgeon, vice Samuel Black Roe, M.B., appointed to the 92nd Foot. Dated 7th December, 1870.

52nd Foot, Lieutenant Almeric Ashley John Spencer to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Synge, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Ensign Henry Sowerby Middleton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Spencer. Dated 7th December, 1870.

56th Foot, Captain George Edward Brace, from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Captain, vice Champion Jones, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Lieutenant John Edward Le Mottée to be Captain, by purchase, vice G. E. Brace, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Ensign Alfred Cholmeley Earle Welby to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Le Mottée. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Frederick Gordon Alexander, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Welby. Dated 7th December, 1870.

77th Foot, Lieutenant William Forbes Gatacre to be Captain, by purchase, vice Marcus A. Waters, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Ensign Thomas Cowper Fisher to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gatacre. Dated 7th December, 1870.

89th Foot, Ensign John Alexander Maylin Vipan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fawkes, promoted. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Gentleman Cadet Christopher Neeld Jones, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Vipan. Dated 7th December, 1870.

12nd Foot, Surgeon Samuel Black Roe, M.B., from 41st Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Alexander Clarke Ross, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Staff, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel James Frankfort Manners Browne, C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Engineers, to be Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Engineers, at

Head Quarters, vice Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Hussey Fane Keane, whose period of service on the Staff is about to expire. Dated 1st January, 1871.

Control Department, Pay Sub-Department, Arthur Thesiger West, from Barrack Clerk, to be Assistant Paymaster, Commission to bear date 18th February, 1870, such antedate not to carry pay prior to the 6th December, 1870.

Medical Department, Surgeon-Major John Irvine, M.D., from Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon Major, vice Staff-Surgeon John Ogilvy, M.D., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Surgeon Alexander Clarke Ross, M.D., from 92nd Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon Curtiss Martin, appointed to the 41st Foot. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Assistant - Surgeon William O'Byrne White, Supernumerary in 1st Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Taylor, M.D., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon James Henry Reynolds, M.B., from the 36th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice David Arthur Leslie, M.D., appointed to the 36th Foot. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Chaplain's Department, The Reverend C. A. Solbe to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class, vice Chaplain of the First Class the Reverend G. Dacre, deceased. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major John Vize O'Donnell, from 27th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Colonel H. D. Harness, C.B., Royal Engineers, promoted Major-General, vice Sir W. T. Denison, K.C.B., who retired upon full-pay 23rd November, 1870 : —

Captain and Brevet-Major Thomas Samuel Poer Field, half-pay, late Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Captain William Hatt Noble, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Fleetwood John Richards, Royal Marine Light Infantry, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 13th November, 1858. Dated 21st November, 1870.

Major Charles Frederick Hutton, retired upon full-pay, late 28th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th December, 1870.

To have the honorary rank of Major.

Paymaster and honorary Captain Maxwell Reeves, 5th Dragoon Guards. Dated 5th October, 1870.

Paymaster and honorary Captain James Bridge, 28th Foot. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals William Dick, M.D., retired upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 7th December, 1870.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers of the Madras Subordinate Medical Department to have the local and honorary rank of Assistant-Surgeons in India :—

Apothecaries :—

Robert Huffton. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Charles Doig. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Daniel Gillespie. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Samuel Wells, M.D. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Sub Assistant-Surgeons :—

Richard Wilkins. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Robert Harvey. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Admiralty, 2nd December, 1870.

The undermentioned Engineer Officer has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Service, with seniority of this day's date :—

Mr. George Fitzgerald.

Admiralty, 3rd December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Charles Arthur Nicolson has been placed on the Retired List from the 26th ultimo.

Admiralty, 5th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date :—

Chief Engineer Robert Anderson.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Argyll.*

Argyll and Bute Artillery Militia.

Charles Taunton to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th
November, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Southampton.*

Hampshire Militia.

George Lennox Swale, Gent., late Lieutenant
Waterford Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant.
Dated 23rd November, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Cumberland.*

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

John James Mackensie, Gent., to be Lieutenant.
Dated 29th November, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Somerset.*

2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.

William Long, Esq., late Lieutenant 46th Foot,
to be Captain, vice Barrett, promoted. Dated
1st December, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of
Lieutenant-Colonel George Palmer Evelyn, of the
1st Royal Surrey Militia, being granted the
honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 1st December,
1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Royal Surrey Militia.

John Pope Cox, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Barlin, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1870.

2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Major William James Sharp to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Calvert, deceased. Dated 29th November, 1870.

William Thomas Worth Newenham, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th November, 1870.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 9,
1870.*

Windsor Castle, December 6, 1870.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :

John Lothrop Motley, Esq., Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of America, to deliver his Letter of Recall ;

To which audience he was introduced by Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

At the Court at Windsor, December 6, 1870.

THE Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been graciously pleased, by Letters Patent under Her Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Instal-

lation, and to grant unto the Most Honourable Hugh Lupus, Marquess of Westminster, Knight of the said Most Noble Order of the Garter, and duly invested with the Ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the said Most Noble Order, in as full and ample a manner as if his Lordship had been formally installed ; any decree, rul  , or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Whitehall, December 3, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Emmaline Ann Shum, otherwise Emmaline Ann Shum-Storey, of Arcot, in the parish of Cramlington, in the county of Northumberland, Spinster, eldest daughter of Henry Shum; afterwards Henry Shum-Storey, and sister and coheir of George Henry Shum, afterwards George Henry Shum-Storey, both late of Arcot aforesaid, Esquires, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that she may, in compliance with a clause contained in a deed of indenture, bearing date the 5th day of August, 1862, made and executed by her brother, the said George Henry Shum-Storey, continue to use the surname of Storey in addition to and after that of Shum, and be called and known by the names of Emmaline Ann Shum-Storey ; and that she may bear and use the arms of Storey quarterly with those of her own family, Storey in the first quarter ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1352.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 8, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that the Danish Government have issued a public notice to the effect that as Asiatic cholera is no longer prevalent at St. Petersburg, vessels arriving from that capital will not be subjected to quarantine.

(C. 1362.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 8, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, enclosing a copy of a Decree which has been issued by the Hellenic Government, relative to the quarantine to be performed by vessels arriving from Gibraltar, or from any other port in communication with Barcelona.

The following are the provisions of the Decree in question :—

Vessels arriving from Gibraltar, or from any other place in communication with Barcelona, will receive free pratique in Greece—provided that they have been ten days on the voyage, and have not communicated during the voyage with any foul place or vessel—twenty-four hours after they shall have performed a quarantine of observation in any one of the ports of the Kingdom where a sanitary office exists, a medical officer having previously visited the vessel; if, however,

the voyage shall have been of less than ten days duration, the vessels will be subjected to a quarantine of observation for the number of days requisite to complete the ten days, besides the quarantine of observation for twenty-four hours as above stated, before being admitted to free pratique.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 8, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Italian Minister at this Court, stating that the opening of the International Maritime Exhibition at Naples has been postponed by Royal Decree to the 1st April, 1871.

Admiralty, 5th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant George Hope Mansell has been placed on the Retired List from the 2nd instant, and has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander from that date.

Admiralty, 7th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List from the dates mentioned against their names:—

Commander Henry Donaldson Selby, from the 6th instant.

Commander Gilbert Troward Key, from the 1st October last.

1870.

The undermentioned Officer has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

George Fullerton Bell.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

John Peter Mulcaster, Esq., J.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

Essex Rifles Militia.

Major Fredrick George Whitehead to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Kelly, resigned. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Captain Capel Coape to be Major, vice Whitehead, promoted. Dated 7th December, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Ferdinand Arkwright in the 2nd Derbyshire Militia, and to approve of his being granted the honorary rank of Major and to be permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant John Jackson in the 2nd Derbyshire Militia.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Henry Moore Kelly

in the Essex Rifles Militia, and to approve of his being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Royal Wiltshire Militia.

Benjamin Winthrop, Gent., late 15th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice Holman, promoted. Dated 20th October, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Henry Clark in the Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners' Artillery Militia, and to approve of his retaining his rank and being permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 26th November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel George Hall, of the Durham Artillery Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 28th November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Granville, of the 2nd Warwick Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 28th November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major John H. Carew, of the 2nd Warwick Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th November, 1870.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 13,
 1870.

Downing Street, December 10, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint George Shine, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Trinidad.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Matthew Elias Corbally, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Meath, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a

Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this tenth day of December, 1870.

J. E. DENISON, Speaker.

(C. 1369.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 12, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Constantinople, reporting that the quarantine imposed upon vessels arriving from the Russian ports in the Black Sea and the Sea of Azov has been suppressed.

(C. 1372.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 12, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, two Despatches from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that, by virtue of an Order published by the Spanish Minister of the Colonies, the following alterations have been made in the Custom-houses of the Island of Puerto Rico.

A Custom-house has been established for purposes of general commerce at the port of Guanica. The Custom-house of Naguabo has been removed to the place called Punta de Santiago, in the port of Humocao. And that Custom-house habilitation for general commerce has been given to the port of Fajardo.

War Office, Pall Mall,

13th December, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Donald McEwen, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas John Peatfield, appointed to the Staff. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Samuel Luis Pallin to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Alfred Ernest Queripel to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Charles Phillips to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Lieutenant George Plunkett has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 14th December, 1870.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants; viz. :—

Lionel Grimston Fawkes, vice E. S. Gordon, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Thomas Perrott, vice W. A. Warren, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Royal Engineers, Second Captain Edward Talbot Thackeray, V.C. (late Bengal), to be Captain, vice Raoul De Bourbel, seconded. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Thomas Tupper Carter (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice H. W. Garnault, deceased. Dated 13th September, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles William Ingleby Harrison (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice Thackeray. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Frederic Jervis Home (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice Isaac Peat Westmorland, seconded. Dated 14th December, 1870.

- Lieutenant Ernest Lindsay Marryat (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice A. Le Messurier, seconded. Dated 14th December, 1870.
- Lieutenant Maxwell James Macartney (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice H. Doveton, seconded. Dated 14th December, 1870.
- Lieutenant Bruce Outram Seton (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Marryat, seconded. Dated 14th December, 1870.
- Lieutenant William Shepherd (late Bengal) to be Seconded. Dated 14th December, 1870.
- Gentleman Cadet Francis Burton Grant D'Aguilar, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenant, with temporary rank. Dated 1st December, 1870.
- 1st Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick Young Wetherall to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant F. C. H. Brooke, who resigns that appointment. Dated 21st October, 1870.
- 6th Foot*, Captain Edward Lloyd to be Major, without purchase, vice P. A. Mosse, made Supernumerary on appointment as Director of Gymnastics in India. Dated 23rd September, 1870.
- 16th Foot*, Justice Chapman Tilly, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice C. F. Vice, whose appointment by purchase, on the 5th November, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 14th December, 1870.
- 47th Foot*. The third Christian name of Ensign Gunner is *Ridge*.
- 55th Foot*, Captain William Hamilton Richards, from Supernumerary List, to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Brown, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th December, 1870.

57th Foot, Ensign Assheton Biddulph to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Downe Chevers Barton, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Aubrey Reginald Hamilton, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Biddulph. Dated 14th December, 1870.

60th Foot, Ensign Arthur Greville Bagot to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Algernon St. Maur, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1870.

84th Foot, Serjeant-Major William Preston to be Quartermaster, vice John Nally, who retires on half-pay. Dated 14th December, 1870.

85th Foot, Charles Frederick Vice, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edward Henry Boden, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1870.

2nd West India Regiment, James Wilkin, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Richard Brabazon Ponsonby, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Medical Department, Assistant-Surgeon Thomas John Peatfield, from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Donald McEwen, M.B., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Half-Pay, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas S. Brown, from 55th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1870.

BREVET.

The Commission of Major-General Thomas Beckett Fielding Marriott, Royal Artillery, to be

antedated to the 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 24th October, 1870.

The Commission of Major-General Henry Drury Harness, C.B., Royal Engineers, to be antedated to 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 23rd November, 1870.

Brevet-Colonel Edward Stopford Claremont, C.B., to have the local rank of Major-General while holding the appointment of Military Attaché at Paris. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Brevet - Colonel Charles Pynder Beauchamp Walker, C.B., Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 2nd Dragoon Guards, to have the local rank of Major-General while holding the appointment of Military Attaché at Berlin. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Adair, Royal Marine Artillery, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 13th November, 1858. Dated 28th November, 1870.

Quartermaster John Nally, retired upon half-pay, late 84th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Apothecary John Hart, of the Subordinate Medical Department in Bengal, to have the local and honorary rank of Assistant-Surgeon in India. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Admiralty, 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Augustus Henry Webb has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander, from the 22nd September, 1870, in accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 9th July, 1864.

Admiralty, 12th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date:—

Assistant Paymaster Henry Ellis.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

John Tregonwell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 7th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.

Hertfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Captain James John Gape to be Major. Dated
3rd December, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Thomas Henry Clifton in the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia. Dated 29th November, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major John Hickinbotham Chambers, of the 6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

John Hardy Thursby, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice John Towneley, resigned. Dated 23rd November, 1870.

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lieutenant William Bellhouse Midwood to be Captain, vice William Marshall, resigned. Dated 2nd September, 1870.

James Braybrooke, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice William James Griffith, promoted. Dated 30th November, 1870.

William C. Mitchell, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1870.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Thomas Brindley, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 28th November, 1870.

Lancashire Hussar Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas Henry Clifton, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 19th October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.**Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.*

Major Thomas Innes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Erskine, deceased. Dated 5th December, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.**Prince Albert's Own Leicestershire Regiment of Volunteer Cavalry.*

Cornet Thomas Charles Douglas Whitmore to be Supernumerary Captain, vice Brooke, resigned. Dated 5th December, 1870.

Alexander Beaumont Churchill Dixie, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet, vice Whitmore, promoted. Dated 5th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Warwickshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Hugh de Grey, Earl of Yarmouth, to be Captain, vice Camperdown, resigned. Dated 9th December, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Archibald Hope, Bart., of the Edinburgh County Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 30th November, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 16,
1870.

War Office, November 5, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a new Commission of Lieutenancy for the City of London, nominating and appointing the several persons undermentioned to be Her Majesty's Lieutenants within the said City, viz.:—The Right Honourable Robert Besley, Lord Mayor of the city of London, and the Lord Mayor of the said city for the time being; Samuel Wilson, Esquire, Sir James Duke, Baronet, Sir John Musgrove, Baronet, Thomas Challis and Thomas Sidney, Esquires, Sir Francis Graham Moon, Baronet, Sir David Salomons, Baronet, Thomas Quested Finnis, Esquire, Sir Robert Walter Carden, Knight, John Carter, Esquire, Sir William Anderson Rose, Knight, William Lawrence, and

Warren Stormes Hale, Esquires, Sir Benjamin Samuel Phillips, Knight, Sir Thomas Gabriel, Baronet, William Ferneley Allen, Esquire, and Sir James Clarke Lawrence, Baronet. Aldermen of the said city of London ; the Right Honourable Russell Gurney, Recorder of the city of London, and the Recorder of the said city for the time being ; Thomas Dakin and Sills John Gibbons, Esquires, Sir Sydney Hedley Waterlow, Knight, Andrew Lusk, David Henry Stone, and William James Richmond Cotton, Esquires, Sir Joseph Causton, Knight, and Thomas Scambler Owden, Esquire, Aldermen of the said city of London, and the Aldermen of the said city for the time being ; Benjamin Scott, Esquire, Chamberlain of the city of London, and the Chamberlain of the said city for the time being ; Frederick Woodthorpe, Esquire, Town Clerk of the city of London, and the Town Clerk of the said city for the time being ; Thomas Chambers, Esquire, Common Serjeant of the city of London, and the Common Serjeant of the said city for the time being ; William Hawtry, Frederick Farrar, Thomas Henry Fry, William Jones, Henry de Jersey, Blomfield Burnell, John Hawkins Elliott, Thomas White, Charles Reed, John Malcolm, Charles Whetham, William Tegg, Samuel Elliott Atkins, John Banister, James Butcher, Thomas Webber, Robert Stapleton, John Christopher Christie, William Webster, John Parker, Archibald McDougall, George Walter, Henry Lowman Taylor, Thomas Symonds, John Kelday, Crescens Robinson, William Cave Fowler, Samuel Heath, John Pickering, and Ben Slowman, Esquires, Deputies of the city of London, and the Deputies of the said city for the time being ; James Abbiss and John Joseph Mechi, Esquires, formerly Aldermen of the city of London ; James Southby

Bridge, Thomas Watkins, William Tyler, Henry Kebbel, William Christie, Robert Butler White-side, Thomas Turnbull, Charles Gammon, Thomas Snelling, George Bone, Robert Obbard, Thomas Bridge Simpson, Robert James Chaplin, Septimus Read, Benjamin Bower, and Anthony Loeke, Esquires, formerly Deputies of the city of London; Henry Hulse Berens, Arthur Edward Campbell, Robert Wigram Crawford, James Pattison Currie, Benjamin Buek Greene, Henry Riversdale Grenfell, Henry Hueks Gibbs, John Saunders Gilliat, Charles Hermann Gösehen, James Alexander Guthrie, Thomson Hankey, John Benjamin Heath, Kirkman Daniel Hodgson, Henry Lane-lot Holland, John Gellibrand Hubbard, Thomas Newman Hunt, Alfred Latham, Thomas Masterman, James Morris, George Warde Norman, Edward Howley Palmer, Alfred Charles De Rothschild, Christopher Weguelin, Clifford Wigram, and Thomas Baring, Esquires; the Right Honourable Stephen Cave; Henry Wollaston Blake and Mark Wilks Collet, Esquires; the Right Honourable George Joachim Gösehen; Charles Frederiek Huth, George Lyall, Alexander Matheson, Albert George Sandeman, Thomas Charles Smith, Thomas Matthias Weguelin, Travers Buxton, John William Birch, William Lidderdale, David Powell, junior, and Ross Donnelly Mangles, Esquires; Sir Frederick Currie, Baronet, Sir Charles Mills, Baronet, Russell Elliee and Martin Tueker Smith, Esquires; Sir James Weir Hogg, Baronet; Colonel William Henry Sykes; Elliot Maenaghten, William Joseph Eastwick, John Harvey Astell, and Henry Thoby Prinsep, Esquires; Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Henry Creswicke Rawlinson, K.C.B., Lieutenant-General Sir Robert John Hussey Vivian, K.C.B., the Right Honourable Sir Laurence Peel, Knight, William

Henry Chicheley Plowden and William Dent, Esquires; Sir Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks, Baronet; Charles John Manning, Charles John Baker, James Whatman Bosanquet, Henry Lannoy Hunter, John Iltid Nicholl, Thomas Henry Allen Poynder, Henry Vigne, William Pole, Henry Jeffreys Bushby, and John Neville Warren, Esquires; Baron Lionel de Rothschild, Baron Nathan de Rothschild, and Sir Moses Montefiore, Baronet; George Carr, Baron Wolverton; Jonathan Muckleston Key, Esquire; Sir William Henry Poland, Knight, Thomas Alers Hankey, Edward Tyrrell, William Croft, John Alexander Hankey, Daniel Britten, William Hughes Hughes, William Hughes Hughes, junior, Ambrose Moore, Joseph Oldham, junior, Alfred Wilson, Cornelius Lea Wilson, Peter Northall-Laurie, Edward Wilson, William Peters, Joseph Somes, John Masterman, Frederick Mildred, James Bentley, William Gladstone, John Pemberton Heywood, John Pierce Kennard, Joseph Maynard, William Roper Maynard, John Walter, Charles Fenton Whiting, Charles Hill, Heathfield Smith, Charles Alliston, George Alliston, Philip Champion Toker, William Dallison Starling, John Kinnersley Hooper, William Fowler Mountford Copeland, Joseph Anderson, junior, Samuel Christy-Miller, Bonamy Dobree, William Jones Loyd, Donald Nicoll, John Henry Smith, Thomas Matthewman Challis, William Henry Challis, Alfred Wilberforce Challis, John Ridley Hunter, Robert Bousfield, Edward Jones Williams, Edward Hunter, Edward Masterman, George Moore, John Francis Moon, Richard Nathaniel Philipps, George Wodehouse Currie, Lewis Loyd, Charles Magniac, James Nugent Daniel, William Schaw Lindsay, George Moffatt, Thomas Parker, Samuel Fisher, Thomas Kerr Lynch, Charles Skipper, George

Grenfell Glyn (commonly called the Honourable George Grenfell Glyn), Alexander Angus Croll, Stephen William Silver, John William Carter, Frederick Graves Moon, Alfred James Waterlow, and Henry Wellington Vallance, Esquires; Sir William Tite, Knight, C.B.; Sir Anthony de Rothschild, Baronet; Travers Barton Wire, Josiah Hale, Joseph Sebag, Henry Hill, James Duke Hill, Henry Doulton, Robert Nicholas Fowler, Patrick Douglas Hadow, Hugh Jones, Howard John Kennard, John Coleridge Kennard, Hilary Nicholas Nissen, Nathan Mayer de Rothschild, and James Anderson Rose, Esquires; General Hugh Henry, Baron Strathnairn, G.C.B.; Lieutenant-Colonel John Rose Holden Rose; Joseph D'Aguilar Samuda, Charles John Todd, Thomas White, and William Foster White, Esquires; Major-General Sir Andrew Scott Waugh, Knight; John Gurney Hoare, Joseph Hoare, Charles Kaye Freshfield, Henry Ray Freshfield, Hugh Mackaye Matheson, Francis Augustus Bevan, Henry Huth, John Knowles, Philip William Flower, Henry Alers Hankey, Thomas Webster, Marmaduke Blake Sampson, Frederick Collier, John Robert Thomson, William Herbert Mullens, William Vivian, William Corrie, Robert Malcolm Kerr, Thomas James Nelson, John Coysgarne Sim, Thomas Gabriel, Henry John Tritton, John Peter Gassiot, Percy Shawe Smith, Alfred James Copeland, James Sprent Virtue, George Frederick White, Samuel Morley, William Kendrick Gladstone, John Thompson Fletcher, Mark Cattley, Richard Whiteman Fall, John Alldin Moore, Philip Twells, Charles Booth, James Pearce Allen, Arthur Burnand, Jeremiah Colman, William Sedgwick Saunders, and William Holm Twentyman, Esquires; Sir Francis Lycett, Knight, Ferdinand Brand, William Collinson, and George

Croshaw, Esquires; Sir John Lubbock, Baronet, Alfred Lawrence, Charles William Cookworthy Hutton, Francis Tagart, Edwin Lawrence, William McArthur, Samuel Henry Phillips, Charles Robert Besley, Oswald Augustus Smith, Eric Carrington Smith, Francis Hicks, John Pater-son, George Faudell Phillips, John Fenwick Fenwick, Reginald Northall Laurie, and John George Maclean, Esquires.

(C. 1376.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Ambassador in France, an extract from the "Moniteur," containing a Decree of the Government of the National Defence, which prohibits the exportation of fresh butter.

(C. 1377.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Ambassador in France, an extract from the "Moniteur," containing a Decree of the Delegation of the Government of the National Defence, which prohibits the exportation of cereals from Algeria. The Decree provides, however, that vessels which, at the time of the promulgation of the Decree, may be taking on

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board in Algerian ports a cargo of cereals, shall be permitted to complete their cargo.

(C. 1378.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Barcelona, reporting that yellow fever has disappeared, and that the port has been reopened for purposes of commerce.

(C. 1384.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Palma, reporting the cessation of yellow fever in that city.

(C. 1385.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, a copy of an Order which has been issued by the Spanish Government, decreeing that the habilitation of the Mediterranean ports Denia and Javea or Xavea shall be extended to the importation from abroad of sulphur, cream of tartar, essences, marble, straw for hats, pastes for soup, oil, flax, green fruit, dried fruits, and other agricultural products.

India Office, 15th December, 1870.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant George William Beresford, 107th Regiment. Dated 29th December, 1865.

Lieutenant James Aloysius Miley, 12th Regiment. Dated 20th May, 1869.

Ensign Robert Nicholls Harrington, 104th Regiment. Dated 26th June, 1869.

Ensign Edward Baynes Nixon, 1st Foot. Dated 6th July, 1869.

Ensign William James Alexander Birch, 58th Regiment. Dated 16th August, 1869.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captains.

Captain St. George Caulfield, 108th Regiment. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Captain Thomas Henry Way, 108th Regiment. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Captain William Shapter Hunt, 19th Regiment. Dated 17th November, 1863.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant John McMullin, 102nd Regiment. Dated 8th October, 1861.

Lieutenant Thomas Morris Jenkins, 19th Regiment. Dated 19th June, 1869.

Note.—The Admission of Lieutenant (now Captain) McMullin should have been previously Gazetted.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Joshua Rowley Watson, 108th Regiment. Dated 7th November, 1862.

Lieutenant Wilhelm Luckhardt, 109th Regiment. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Admiralty, 14th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 5th November, 1870 :—

Paymaster Charles Luxmoore Cartwright.

Admiralty, 15th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List from the 12th instant :—

Chief Engineer James Driver.

Admiralty, 16th December, 1870.

The undermentioned promotions have been this day made :—

To be Captain :

Commander the Honourable John Carnegie.

To be Commanders :

Lieutenant Henry Rowland Ellison Grey.

Lieutenant Archibald Campbell Stewart
Blackett.

To be Lieutenants :

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur St. John Leacock.

Sub-Lieutenant Butler Julius Septimus
Octavius Carter.

Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Cook (for Special
Service).

To be Navigating Lieutenants :

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant Henry William
Davidson.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant Allen Cornelius
Dennys.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant John Baker
Palmer.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant John Edward
Petley.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant Berkeley St.
George Dean.

To be Paymasters :

Assistant - Paymaster Frederick Edward
Pirkis.

Assistant Paymaster Henry Wright Andrews.

Assistant Paymaster Thomas Clayton.

Assistant Paymaster Henry Briggs Robinson.

To be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and
Fleets :

Staff-Surgeon Thomas Russell Pickthorn.

To be Surgeons :

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Smith Burnett.

Assistant-Surgeon Patrick Francis Keelan.

Assistant-Surgeon Denis McCarthy.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Normand McLaurin has
also been promoted to the rank of Surgeon,
with seniority of 19th August, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

North Devon Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant John Philip Sydenham Marshall to be Captain, vice Ley, deceased. Dated 3rd November, 1870.

Cornet the Honourable Walter Rodolph Trefusis to be Lieutenant, vice Marshall, promoted. Dated 3rd November, 1870.

William Matthias Lancaster to be Cornet, vice Hodge, promoted. Dated 1st August, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Cambridge.*

Cambridgeshire Militia.

W. E. Frost, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1870.

W. H. Bullock, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th December, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Warden of the
Stannaries in the Counties of Cornwall and
Devon.*

*Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners' Artillery
Militia.*

Lieutenant Thomas Roxburgh Polwhele to be Captain, vice Clark, resigned. Dated 7th December, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Derby.*

1st Derbyshire Militia.

Stuart Le Blanc Smith to be Lieutenant, vice Meynell, resigned. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Perth.

Royal Perthshire Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Drummond Hay to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 21st November, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Edinburgh or Midlothian.

Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry Militia.

Lieutenant Sir James Liston Foulis, Bart., to be Captain, vice Boyd, resigned. Dated 29th November, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

3rd Royal Surrey Militia.

Matthew Howitt, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th December, 1870.

Charles Herbert Curtis, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th December, 1870.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 11th October last.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

Harvey Charles Tryon, Gent., late 48th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th October, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Forfar.*

Forfar and Kincardine Militia Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel David Laird to be Honorary
Colonel. Dated 7th December, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Edmund Henry Knowles Lacon, Bart., M.P., of the East Norfolk Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major George Grenville Glover, of the East Norfolk Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel William Augustus St. Clair, of the Artillery Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 9th December, 1870.

December 14, 1870.

The Keeper of the General Register of Sasines, and of the Register of Hornings, Inhibitions, &c., for Scotland, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby adds all situations in the Departments of the General Register of Sasines, and of the Register of Hornings, Inhibitions, &c., for Scotland, to the Schedule marked B, annexed to Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of *DECEMBER* 20,
 1870.

Foreign Office, December 20, 1870.

IT is hereby notified, that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received from Her Majesty's Ambassador in France, the copy of an official communication from the Comte de Chaudordy, announcing that in consequence of the occupation of the Ports of Rouen, Dieppe, and Fécamp by the German Forces, the Commander of the French Naval Forces had received an order to establish a Blockade of the said Ports from the 13th day of the present month.

Windsor Castle, December 16, 1870.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :

The Baron Joseph Louis Henry Alfred Gericke de Herwijnen, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of the Netherlands, to deliver his Credentials ;

To which audience he was introduced by the Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 19, 1870.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public, under the usual regulations, on and after Thursday, the 22nd instant.

War Office, December 19, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Colonel John Stewart Wood, C.B., Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, December 7, 1870.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Alexander Stevens, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Nicolaieff, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Nicolaieff.

Foreign Office, December 19, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. David Chincry as Consul-General in London for the Republic of Liberia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Melchior Carneiro de Mendouça Franco as Consul-General at Liverpool for His Majesty the Emperor of Brazil.

Whitehall, December 17, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Francis Wilkinson, M.A., to the Rectory of Lutterworth, in the county of Leicester, and diocese of Peterborough, void by the death of the Reverend Robert Henry Johnson.

(C. 1393.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 17, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, a copy of a Notice which has been issued by the Portuguese Government, declaring the ports of Spain in Andalucia, the port of Gibraltar, the port of Oran, as well as the other ports of Algiers and those of the Empire of Morocco, free from yellow fever. The same notice further declares the Island of Cuba suspected of infection with yellow fever.

(C. 1381.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 17, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of an Ordinance, which has been passed by the Legislature of Mauritius, abolishing the Customs' duties hitherto levied upon substances imported for Agricultural and Sanitary purposes.

The following are the substances which, in virtue of the above-mentioned Ordinance, will in future be admitted into the Island of Mauritius duty free :—

For Agricultural purposes—

Urate and sulphated urinc.

Poudrette.

Guano.

Bones, bone dust, bone oil, and dissolved bones.

Lime, carbonate of lime, sulphate of lime or gypsum, phosphate and superphosphate of lime.

Sulphate and muriate of ammonia, and the other ammoniacal salts.

Ammoniacal liquor of the gas works and of the ivory black manufactories.

Nitrates, silicates, and carbonates of potash,
and soda.

Sulphate of potash.

Coal and wood soot.

Dried muscular flesh and dried blood.

Damaged fish condemned by the Sanitary
Inspectors.

Artificially prepared manures.

For Sanitary purposes—

Sulphuric acid.

Chloride of lime.

Carbolic acid.

Sulphate of iron.

Perchloride of iron.

Chloride of manganese.

Sulphate of zinc.

Chloride of zinc.

Chloride of soda.

Permanganate of potash.

(H. 5236.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
December 17, 1870.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch, dated the 23rd ultimo, from Her Majesty's Consul at the Azores, to the effect that the Portuguese Government had recently authorized the Local Treasury at St. Michael's to advance eight contos of reis (8,000\$ 000 reis), (about £1,500), for the purpose of continuing the works of the artificial harbour of that place; that this sum might be expected to keep the labourers employed for another month upon the construction of the breakwater; and that in the meantime it was expected that, in accordance with what is reported to be their intention,

the Portuguese Government would adopt legislative measures for securing the funds necessary for the completion of the enterprise.

War Office, Pall Mall,
20th December, 1870.

20th Regiment of Hussars.

Major-General Michael William Smith, C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Charles Montauban Carmichael, C.B., deceased. Dated 22nd November, 1870.

Control Department, Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Assistant Controller Alexander Gun to be Deputy Controller, vice F. S. Carpenter, placed on the retired list. Dated 1st October, 1870.

Commissary Robert Clement Major to be Assistant Controller, vice Gun. Commission to bear date 1st January, 1870, such antedate not to carry pay prior to 1st October, 1870.

The services of Deputy Commissary Francis Innes have been dispensed with, Her Majesty having no further occasion for them. Dated 17th September, 1870.

BREVET.

The second Christian name of Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Case, late of the Madras Infantry, is *Hesketh*, not *Heskett*, as stated in Gazette of 29th November, 1870.

Admiralty, 17th December, 1870.

Staff Surgeon William H. Sloggett has been authorized to assume the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and

Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet. whilst administering duties in connection with the Contagious Diseases Act. This authority to date from the 1st instant.

The undermentioned Engineer Officer has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Service. with seniority of this day's date :—

William Henry Elliott.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carmarthen.

Carmarthenshire Artillery Militia.

Francis Alexander Richard Pemberton. Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Ellis, resigned. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

East Kent Militia.

Herbert Charles Perrott, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Beaumont, resigned. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Denbigh.

Denbighshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant George Posnett to be Captain, vice Thorold, resigned. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Cornet Edward Harcastle to be Lieutenant, vice Posnett, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Archibald Peel, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Hardcastle, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

George Robert Stewart Black, late Captain 60th Rifles, to be Captain, vice Bolton, deceased. Dated 8th December, 1870.

Willoughby Robert Dottin Maycock to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th November, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Major F. Fraser in the Highland Rifle Militia, and to approve of his retaining his rank, and being permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sutherland.

Highland Rifle Militia.

Captain Alexander Caldcleugh Macleay to be Major, vice Fraser, resigned. Dated 12th December, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Joseph Foskett, of the Hertfordshire Regiment of Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Charles Deacon, of the Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 23,
 1870.

Colonial Office, Downing Street,
December 22, 1870.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class,
 or Knights Commanders of the said Order :—

Lieutenant-General the Honourable James
 Lindsay.

Colonel Garnet Joseph Wolseley.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class,
 or Companions of the said Order :—

Colonel Randal Joseph Feilden.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Carstairs McNeill,
 V.C., Military Secretary to the Governor-
 General of Canada.

Lieutenant-Colonel William John Bolton,
 R.A.

Mathew Bell Irvine, Esq., Assistant Con-
 troller in the Military Control Depart-
 ment.

And the following Officers in the Militia of the Dominion of Canada :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Peters Jarvis.

Lieutenant-Colonel Louis Adolphe Cassault.

Major James F. McLcod.

Whitehall, December 17, 1870.

The Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the decease of Alberic, Baron Willoughby de Eresby and third Baron Gwydir, unmarried and without issue, on the 26th day of August last, the title and dignity of Baron Gwydir devolved upon his cousin Peter Robert, now Baron Gwydir, as the eldest surviving son and heir of Merrik Lindsey Peter Burrell, commonly called the Honourable Merrik Lindsey Peter Burrell, who was second son of Peter, first Baron Gwydir, and next brother of Peter Robert, Baron Willoughby de Eresby (in right of his mother) and second Baron Gwydir, and that according to the ordinary rules of honour the sisters of the said Peter Robert, now Baron Gwydir, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them in case their said late father had survived the said Alberic, Baron Willoughby de Eresby and Baron Gwydir, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Gwydir, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Marcia Sarah Elizabeth, the wife of Walter Whittington, of Albemarle House, in the county of Devon, Esquire, and Charlotte Anne, wife of Charles Wilmot Smith, of Ballynanty House, in the county of Limerick, Esquire, sisters of the said Peter Robert, now Baron Gwydir, shall henceforth have, hold, and

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enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if their late father the said Merrik Lindsey Peter Burrell had survived his nephew the said Alberic, Baron Willoughby de Eresby and Baron Gwydir, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Baron Gwydir :

And to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1397.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 21, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Caracaras, enclosing a Decree of the Government of the United States of Venezuela, which prolongs for a period of four months, the permission granted by the Decree of the 19th June last, to foreign vessels to engage in the coasting trade of that country.

(C. 1398.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 21, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Caracas, a copy of the Tariff of Duties which will in future be levied in the United States of Venezuela upon the importation of merchandise.

A copy of this Tariff may be inspected upon application at the Board of Trade (Commercial Department), Whitehall Gardens.

War Office, Pall Mall,

23rd December, 1870.

1st Regiment of Dragoons, Lieutenant Joseph Spencer Benyon to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Hall, who retires. Dated 24th December, 1870

Farquhar MacCrae Bruce, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Benyon. Dated 24th December, 1870.

4th Hussars, Staff Surgeon Charles Moore Jessop to be Surgeon, vice Donald Sinclair Smith appointed to the Staff. Dated 24th December, 1870.

5th Lancers, Lieutenant Arthur Hunt, from 6th Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice William Johnson, who exchanges. Dated 24th December, 1870.

5th Dragoons, Lieutenant William Johnson, from the 5th Lancers, to be Lieutenant, vice Arthur Hunt, who exchanges. Dated 24th December, 1870.

7th Hussars, Lieutenant Harrie Archbold Reid to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Joy, who retires. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Cornet Cecil Loftus Reade to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Reid. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Henry Ingilby to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. J. W. Jervis, retired upon full-pay. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Second Captain Michael Tweedie to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Ingilby. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Second Captain Donald Roderick Cameron, from the Seconded List, to be Second Captain, vice Tweedie. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Lane Notter, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Alexander Crawford Robertson, M.D., promoted. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Coast Brigade, Master Gunner John Cooper to be Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant and Adjutant W. Crawford, deceased. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Reginald Thomas Thynne to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain L. R. Seymour, promoted. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable George Patrick Hyde Villiers to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain R. T. Thynne. Dated 24th December, 1870.

2nd Foot, Charles Edward Whittle, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice R. S. Simpson, permitted to receive the value of his Commission, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th December, 1870.

5th Foot, Ensign Reginald Heber Thurlow to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Edward Harmsworth Ruddach, who retires. Dated 24th December, 1870.

12th Foot, Lieutenant James A. Miley has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th December, 1870.

21st Foot, Major Frederick Torrens Lyster to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Edwin Ashley Tucker Steward, who retires. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major William Henry Carleton to be Major, by purchase, vice Lyster. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Lieutenant James Whitton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Carleton. Dated 24th December, 1870.

The promotion of Ensign J. G. Proudfoot, without purchase, on 1st July, 1868, has been cancelled.

The promotion of Ensign W. A. Law, without purchase, on 1st July, 1868, to be in succession to Lieutenant A. C. Kennedy, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, and not vice Lieutenant Proudfoot, as stated in Gazette of 13th October, 1868.

24th Foot, Ensign John Douglas Dickinson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Anton Doorly, who retires. Dated 24th December, 1870.

30th Foot, Lieutenant James Cooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Glascott, who retires. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Ensign John Courtenay Julian to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cooke. Dated 24th December, 1870.

John Morpott Piercy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Julian. Dated 24th December, 1870.

36th Foot, Lieutenant Wilson James Browne to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Stucley, deceased. Dated 29th October, 1870.

77th Foot, Captain George Edward Leggett to be Major, without purchase, vice William N. M. Orpen, deceased. Dated 27th November, 1870.

81st Foot, Major Robert Bruce Chichester to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet Colonel John Arthur Gildea, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Captain and Brevet-Major James Woods to be Major, without purchase, vice Chichester. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William Henry Munton Jackson to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Woods. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Ensign Frank Ryley to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Jackson. Dated 24th December, 1870.

86th Foot, Staff Surgeon Walter Leach to be Surgeon, vice John Vernon Seddall, M.D., deceased. Dated 24th December, 1870.

108th Foot, Ensign F. B. Peile, to be Lieutenant, vice T. A. F. Leader, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 7th July, 1870.

Ensign E. L. Elliott to be Lieutenant, vice Peile, whose promotion on the 23rd August, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 23rd August, 1870.

Ensign Charles Thomas Bingham to be Lieutenant, vice Elliott, whose promotion on the 31st August, 1870, has been cancelled. Dated 31st August, 1870.

Ensign Charles Alfred Vaughton Foulger to be Lieutenant, vice C. T. Bingham, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 4th October, 1870.

John Davidson Fullerton, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Foulger. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Medical Department, Surgeon Donald Sinclair Smith, from the 4th Hussars, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Charles Moore Jessop, appointed to the 4th Hussars. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Crawford Robertson, M.D., from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Walter Leach, appointed to the 86th Foot. Dated 24th December, 1870.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Arthur Gildea, retired upon full-pay, late 81st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Jervis While Jervis, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only. Dated 24th December, 1870.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Robert Scott, half-pay, late 87th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st January, 1870.

Paymaster Frank Potter, 52nd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 25th September, 1865.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

Sir William Richmond Brown, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

Frederick Bacon Frank, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th December, 1870.

1st West York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

William Sharp Waithman, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Andrus, promoted. Dated 26th November, 1870.

Amcotts Wilson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Smyth, resigned. Dated 16th December, 1870.

*2nd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York
Militia.*

Albert Charles Wood, Esq., late Captain 8th
Hussars, to be Captain, vice Darley, resigned.
Dated 26th November, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to
accept the resignation of the Commission held by
Lieutenant Seymour Augustus Beaumont in the
6th West York Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to
accept the resignation of the Commission held by
Cornet Harry Rouse in the 2nd West Yorkshire
Yeomanry Cavalry.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Bedford.*

Bedfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Charles Frederick Lindsell, Gent., to be Lieu-
tenant. Dated 12th December, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own
Militia.*

Henry Master Feilden, Esq., to be Major. Dated
8th December, 1870.

Ralph John Aspinall, Esq., to be Captain, vice
Thomas Henry Clifton, resigned. Dated 8th
December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Francis Haviland to be Supernumerary Major. Dated 19th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Conrad William Curling Finzel to be Captain, vice Haviland, resigned. Dated 19th December, 1870.

Commission signed by Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London.

Royal London Militia.

Major John Harrison Allan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Sir William Anderson Rose, promoted. Dated 21st December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Lieutenant Alfred Elias to be Captain, vice Whitehead, resigned. Dated 8th December, 1870.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Arthur Rickards to be Captain, vice Mills, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Lieutenant Coghlan McLean McHardy to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Montgomery.

Royal Montgomeryshire Militia.

Robert John Harrison, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1870.

Francis Woolleston Trevor, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel George Beadnell, of the Royal Montgomeryshire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel the Duke of Northumberland, of the Northumberland Light Infantry Militia, being granted a step of honorary rank. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant John Dawson to be Captain, vice H. M. Wilson, promoted. Dated 8th December, 1870.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 27,
1870.

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 21st day
of *December*, 1870.

The Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education read and approved of general regulations as to passing resolutions "for application for School Boards" in parishes not situate within municipal boroughs, or within the metropolis,

At the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 21st day
of *December, 1870.*

The Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education read and approved of general regulations for the first election of School Boards in parishes not situate within municipal boroughs, or within the metropolis.

Whitehall, December 21, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Stanhope Grove Price, of Great Taynton, in the parish of Taynton, in the county of Gloucester, Esquire, a Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, son of Samuel Grove Price, late of The Grove, in the parish of Taynton aforesaid, Esquire, sometime representative in Parliament for the borough of Sandwich, who was the only child of Morgan Price, late of Great Taynton aforesaid. Clerk, Master of Arts, Rector of Knebworth and Letchworth, both in the county of Hertford, and of Catherine, his wife, only child and heir of Samuel Grove, late of Great Taynton aforesaid, Esquire, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Grove, instead of that of Price, and bear the arms of Grove ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1404.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 23, 1870.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Mobile, reporting that yellow fever has ceased to be epidemic in that port, and that the custom-house now grants clean bills of health to all vessels on leaving.

Admiralty, 23rd December, 1870.

Richard Thomas Ninnis Pearce, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date:—

Assistant Paymaster William J. Mayne.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Edinburgh or Midlothian.*

*Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry
Militia.*

Sir George Douglas Clerk, Bart., to be Lieutenant, vice Home, resigned. Dated 15th December, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Ross.*

Highland Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Neil Farquhar Scobie, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1870.

Binny Douglas, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated
17th December, 1870.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on letters transmitted by the post between Italy or any foreign country viâ Italy and the United Kingdom or Malta ; between Italy and Australia, Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, Labuan, Hong Kong, China, or Japan ; between Italy or any foreign country viâ Italy and any British Colony or foreign country ; and also between the United Kingdom and the Island of Sicily.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 30,
1870.

Foreign Office, December 29, 1870.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. James W. Taylor as Consul at Winnepeg for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Alexander Speed Webster as Consul for the British Colonies of New South Wales and its Dependencies for the King of the Hawaiian Islands.

Whitehall, December 28, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the office and place of Advocate-General or

Judge-Martial of Her Majesty's Forces to John Robert Davison, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Admiralty, 27th December, 1870.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date :—

Assistant Paymaster Charles E. Tremaine.

Admiralty, 29th December, 1870.

Edward Braithwaite, Esq., has this day been appointed a Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant T. E. Satterthwaite in the Royal Cumberland Militia. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

William Harrison Falcon, Gent., late 6th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Satterthwaite, resigned. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

William Paul Bridson, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 21st December, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal North Gloucestershire Regiment of Militia.

Frederick William Platt, Gent., late 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Baillie, resigned. Dated 23rd December, 1870.

George Warwick Hunt, Gent., late 4th Hussars, to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd December, 1870.

Henry Richard Jesson Dawes, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th December, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

Alfred Thompson Crawshay, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th December, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Quartermaster John Coombes, of the 5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia, to serve with the rank of Lieutenant.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Edmond Robert Henry Gray to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 16th December, 1870.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Augustus Piper to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1870.

Cornet William Gillett to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1870.

William Douglas Legg to be Cornet. Dated 7th November, 1870.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette stating what publications shall be deemed newspapers under the Post Office Act, 1870, and providing for their transmission by post.

Board of Customs, December 30, 1870.

The Board of Customs, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby notify that the undermentioned situation, which, by notice in the London Gazette of 18th October, 1870, was withdrawn from Schedule A of Her Majesty's Order in Council dated 4th June, 1870, is from and after the 31st day of December, 1870, restored to the said Schedule, viz. :—the situation of Out-Door Officer, with the exception however of every such situation in the Customs' Department in respect of which a candidate shall have been nominated before the said 31st day of December, all such last excepted situations remaining subject to the notice hereinbefore recited from the London Gazette of 18th October, 1870.

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